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A CHANGE MADE.

Lysander H. Carroll Appointed Labor Commissioner-Succeeds J. F. Trask.
Governor Rollins and council held a meeting Tuesday at the state house chambers, Concord, at which Lysander H. Carroll of Concord was appointed labor commissioner to succeed Julian F. Trask. Mr. Carroll's term will commence May 4 and extend over three years.

The resignation of William B. Mitchell of Littleton as a trustee of the State Normal school and the resignation of Mrs. John B. Varick of Manchester and John M. Whipple of Claremont, members of the board of charities and corrections, were received.

Thursday, April 13, was appointed as Fast day.

The nominations of Col. Edward O. Upham of Keene, Lieut. Col. F. B. Thompson of Nashua and Maj. Arthur G. Shattuck of Nashua were confirmed. They are officers of the Second Regiment, N. H. N. G. Adj. Gen. A. D. Ayling and Capt. S. S. Piper of Manchester were authorized to sell the old harnesses of the New Hampshire Battery.

Solon A. Carter, state treasurer, presented a plan for the payment of the \$7 per month to the New Hampshire soldiers and sailors that participated in the war with Spain as provided by the recent act of the Legislature. The plan was accepted and is as follows:

Payments shall be made directly to claimants as far as it is possible without the intervention of a third party. Captains of companies are to be notified to muster men at some convenient spot, and have them sign the roll now in the hands of Adj. Gen. A. D. Ayling. The signatures to the roll must be witnessed by the officers and the men are to be identified before paid. Absentees are to be paid on individual vouchers.

The second Tuesday of each month is selected for the regular meeting of the Governor and council, but the next meeting is to be held Friday, March 31, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon.

HAMPTON AROUSED.

People much Disturbed Over the Liquor Question-Minister-for-Chief Police.

The nearby town of Hampton is well stirred up over the police and liquor situations at present. Town meeting day it was voted to close up all the saloons in town and \$200 was appropriated for the purpose. At that time, the Rev. John Bradford of the Methodist church, who became known as a strong advocate of the cause while in Auburn, made a strong plea for temperance, and stated that he was chief of police he would exterminate all illegal sellers of liquor. Since then, the pastor's name has been frequently and favorably mentioned for the berth, and it is hoped by many that he will be appointed to the position. It is not believed that the hotels, either at the beach or in the village, will be included in the order, but that the warfare against the sellers will be waged only to prevent dealers from during the summer month.

There are other candidates besides Mr. Bradford for the position, among whom is Abbott Young, the present head of the force.

PATRONS OF HUSBANDRY.

East Rockingham Pomona Grange will hold a session in Good Templar's hall, corner of Daniel and Penhallow streets, Thursday morning at 10 o'clock when the fifth degree will be conferred. Dinner will be served in the banquet hall.

In the afternoon "Should United States Senators be Elected by Popular Vote" will be discussed.

Regular meeting of Strawberry Bank Grange, No. 251, in the evening when the first and second degrees will be conferred on several candidates. Patrons are expected to be present from Exeter, Rye, Newington and Newfields, N. H., and York, Me.

METHODIST CONFERENCE.

The New Hampshire Methodist are looking forward with unusual interest to the coming session of the conference that is to open in Lancaster, April 20. The presiding officer will be Bishop John H. Vincent, D. D., of Chautauque fame. Bishop Vincent's home is in Topeka, Kan. Methodist bishops do not have a diocese of limited extent, but their field is the whole of Methodism. He will come to this conference from the session of the New York East at Brooklyn.

DANCE AT DOVER POINT.

Notes of Interest From Up River.
The dance at Riverview hall, Dover Point last evening under the auspices of Messrs. Clark and Lane of this city was a success in every particular. There were 25 couples in the grand march, which was led by Harry Clark of this city and Miss Ida M. Pinkham of Dover Point. The music consisting of four pieces of Joy and Philbrick's orchestra of this city was of a high order. The party broke up about 10 o'clock. All present agreed it was a very enjoyable affair.

Miss Ida M. Pinkham of Dover Point who has been sick with tonsillitis for the past week, is so far recovered as to be able to resume her studies at the Training school here in the city.

D. L. Pinkham and wife went to Concord yesterday on a visit to friends.

Morning and Henderson of Dover Point received two car loads of wool from Wells, Me., yesterday for their brick yards.

Thomas Parle of Dover received a car load of wood from Somersworth yesterday for his next season's brick business.

"CHIMES OF NORMANDY" WELL SUNG.

The Robinson Comic Opera Co. increased the good impression made by them on Monday evening by a fine performance of Chimes of Normandy last evening. The different members of the company seemed to enter the spirit of the characters assigned to them with an ardor quite refreshing and all were enthusiastically applauded. Miss Barton as Serpalitte and Miss Gonzalez as Germaine were splendid and are now established favorites with our theatre goers. The role of Gaspard was assumed by Mr. Whyte very cleverly and he received a rousing curtain call after the second act. Mr. Nelson as Henri and Mr. Holmes as Grenichene were happily cast, and as the ludicrous old Baili, Mr. Young was the life of the performance. This evening Mrs. Diavala will be presented, and there will be a special matinee on Saturday afternoon for the ladies and children at which time the beautiful opera "The Twin Sisters" will be given. Prices for the Saturday matinee have been reduced to 15c for children and 25c for adults for any seat in the theatre.

SUPREME COURT

A very quiet and uneventful day was passed in the supreme court today. The term will end tonight or Thursday morning at the latest. Tuesday morning the case of Charles M. Lamprey vs. Mary A. Brewster was continued and the lawyers, Attorney-General Eastman and Calvin Page, delivered the closing pleas. Judge Chase took the case under consideration. A petition of the Middle street Baptist church of Portsmouth to dispose of its property was granted. Judge Emery was the society's attorney. This afternoon, the following divorce libels were granted: Valze V. Gowdy from Edward Gowdy, both of Salem, and Sarah J. Blinn from Abner Blinn, both of Windham.

MR. BURNHAM IN BROCKTON.

Saturday's Brockton Enterprise says: Walter W. Burnham is in town. He reports that there was no meeting of the New England League promoters last night, but says that one will probably be held on Monday or Tuesday.

There are practically two propositions before the house. Portland wants to come in and a Portsmouth, N. H., team, with grounds between that city and Somersworth, backed by a street railway company, would like representation.

SURPRISE PARTY.

Mr. Fred Loomas, a popular employee at the Morley Button factory was given a surprise party at his home on McDonough street last evening by about forty of his young friends. The evening was most delightfully passed in music, games, conversation and the discussion of an elegant repast. During the evening the host was presented with a pair of costly cuff buttons and necktie pin.

COUNTY BONDS SOLD.

W. E. Peirce & Co. were awarded the \$35,000 bonds of Rockingham county on Tuesday. Their bid was the highest and the entire lot was delivered to them, which they will dispose of to parties desiring an investment.

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BABY NOT NEGLECTED.

They Could Not Have Doctor's Advice Too Often.

The doctor had come in late from a hard day's work, driving from place to place, feeling pulses, giving encouragement and writing prescriptions. He had eaten his supper at 11 o'clock, made a last call on a man with the grip, and had turned into bed, dog tired.

It was long after midnight when the telephone bell rang. The doctor was snuck in a deep sleep. Again the bell rang out sharply and impatiently and continued to ring, but the doctor did not hear it. At the other end of the hall a pale student poured over his book. He was studying law. The bell disturbed him, and he at length decided to answer it and stop the ringing. He took down the receiver and shouted "Hello!"

"Is that you, doctor?" asked an anxious voice.

"Yes, what do you want?" replied the student, who knew the doctor was tired and did not wish to wake him unless the case was serious.

"This is Potts, doctor, H. J. Potts. My wife wanted me to call you up to tell you that the baby wouldn't play with his blocks tonight and seemed kind of heavy and dull. What do you suppose is the matter, doctor? My wife is very uneasy."

"Hum," said the student, trying to think of something to say. "Is the baby feverish?"

"No, I don't think he is," replied the voice. "But he sneezed one to night."

"Ah," said the bogus doctor, "that's a good sign. If he sneezed and is not feverish he is all right. You might give him a little water if he wakes up and cries; if he gets too warm take some of the covers off."

"All right doctor. Much obliged. Sorry to have had to disturb you, but my wife wouldn't go to sleep until I called you up. Good night."

"Ah," thought the pale student, "that is \$2.00 for the doctor. Wish I could earn it as easily."

When he told the doctor about his deception the next day he was thanked, and Mr. Potts' bill was swelled by \$2, one half of which went to the pale student.

"It's their first baby," explained the doctor, "and they're tickled to death to pay any price for it. I couldn't have given Potts any better advice myself."—Kansas City Star.

THE SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION.

A special train is to leave Concord on Thursday, March 30, for this city, leaving there at 4 p. m., to bring delegates to this city who are to participate in the school of instruction for the benefit of subordinate lodges of Odd Fellows, and by invitation of Osgood lodge. The train is to stop at all places where there are lodges.

It is understood that the Portsmouth brethren will prepare for 1000 people, the lunch to be served in Odd Fellows hall.

The instruction work will be given in Franklin hall, and Umanocun lodge of West Manchester will work the initiation degree; Rumford lodge, No. 46 of Concord will work the second; Osgood lodge, No. 48, of Portsmouth, the third; and White Mountain lodge, No. 5, of Concord, will work the fourth.

The work is to be under the direction of Grand Master Leete, and Grand Representatives Collins and Loughton will be the critics.

The visitors will return home by the special train after the work is over.

LOST VIGOR AND VITALITY

How grand a thing it is to possess the vigor and vitality that are associated with robust health! Life is bright and the capacity for enjoyment is full. How distressing is the reverse! Then life is dark and enjoyment a stranger. Many are in the latter category, even after trying all kinds of remedies. But hope need not be given up for all that Dr. Greene 34 Temple Place, Boston, Mass., the famous specialist has cured thousands of cases where vigor and vitality had entirely gone. If you are suffering in this way get Dr. Greene's advice. You can consult him by letter, free. This is a rare chance. Take advantage of it! Write to him at once and he will put you in way of getting back these priceless possessions—health and strength.

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RYE

RYE, March 21st.

Mr. Isaac Jenness, one of our oldest and most respected citizens died at his late residence near Chesley's four corners on Sunday the 12th inst., at the age of 85 years. Mr. Jenness was a life long resident and up to within a few months was an active and robust man, able to attend to his work at all times. His funeral was held at the Advent chapel on Tuesday. Rev. M. Riddell of the Christian church of North Hampton officiating. Interment in Central cemetery.

The board of selectmen have organized with Horace Sawyer as chairman. Three petitions have been presented to them for the widening of the highway along the proposed route of the electric road.

The school meeting will be held at the town hall on Tuesday the 28th inst.

Jr. Order, U. A. M., propose to give an entertainment, supper and dance at the Town hall on Wednesday evening the 29th inst.

The storm on Sunday was too much for church goers and in consequence no service was held in either church.

Every place out of doors where ice could stick was covered with it Monday morning, one year ago farmers were ploughing.

L. B. Parsons, Esq., is expected home from Florida, in a few days.

The coming electric road seems to be assured.

Prof. Wilson and his dancing class were in evidence at the town hall on Monday evening.

For the first time in its history the republican party is in control of the town offices.

George B. Rickerson and William H. Gould are no longer members of the Rye Beach life saving crew and have returned to their homes in Chatham, Mr. Wesley A. Rand came down from Boston Saturday and returned Sunday.

Rev. G. A. Beebe will remove to Columbus, Ohio, about the middle of April.

Rev. E. A. Phillips, who has been passing the winter with Mr. Levi W. Marden, will soon leave for Freedom, N. H., where he will assume the pastorate of the Christian church in that town.

Mr. J. Henry Chesley of Nottingham is in town.

Mr. Andrew G. Brown, late foreman of Mr. John F. French's farm at North Hampton, is to be located at Prof. Parsons' place, Wallis Sands this summer.

ELIOT.

ELIOT, March 21.

The ice storm of Sunday has made the most brilliant scenery we have beheld this winter, also the best sleighing.

Ralph S. and Rolla N. Bartlett, Mrs. Olea B. Vaughn, Miss Alice Bartlett, and Miss Amelia Shapleigh were the guests of Miss Elizabeth Bartlett over Sunday, returning to Boston Monday with Miss Bartlett accompanying them, to be absent several weeks.

Miss Frances E. Brier who has been spending several weeks with Miss Edith M. Raitt returned to her home in Wakefield N. H., Wednesday.

Mrs. Sarah J. Raitt of Fitchburg, Mass., has been the guest of Mrs. John F. Raitt the past week.

Presiding Elder Thayer was at the 1st M. E. church, Sunday.

Ten thousand demons gnawing away at one's vitals couldn't be worse than the tortures of itching piles. Yet there's a cure. Doan's Ointment never fails.

CITY BRIEFS

Business is rushing at the local shoe shops.

Mayor Calvin Page and John Pender of Portsmouth were in the city last evening and paid a short visit to the Belamy club.—Dover paper.

Among the marriage notices published in the Philadelphia papers a few days ago was an announcement of the wedding of Mr. C. Monroe Boos and Miss Temperance Irons, both of Florence, N. J. As a happy medium the first youngster is to be called "Soft Stuff."

The Granite Monthly for March is a beautiful number in every particular. It contains a write up of Stratham magnificently illustrated; an article on "Library legislation in New Hampshire" by Herbert W. Denio, A. M.; "A look at the old farm," and other articles, with poems, of interest and merit. Single copies may be obtained at the book stores.

DON'T REALIZE THEIR POSITION.

Kelly, Quinn & Co. are apparently not satisfied with the drubbing the people gave them on election day and they are now attempting to dictate to the republican members of the city government as to who they will elect to the city officers. It is surprising to a number of leading party republicans how the intelligent members of the city councils will listen to the men who have brought ruin to the party.

Aldermen Bates, Pierce, Bothwell, and Hoyt are all business men and they know the feelings of the people just at this time and are aware that the public are tired of these dictators. The entire battle was fought on those lines and the Herald believes that they are too shrewd to listen to the chief dictator who has already been cast aside.

AT THE NAVY YARD.

A former naval officer here is soon to return.

The Potomac will go into dock on Thursday.

Captain W. H. Harris, U. S. N., passed Tuesday in Boston.

There will be quite a large fleet of vessels at the yard this summer.

Police Commissioner Hunt of Nashua was a visitor to the yard on Tuesday.

The struggle over who will get the Raleigh is becoming of national interest.

A force of contractors commenced work on Tuesday installing elevators in the joiner shop and the big shipfitter's building.

If the Raleigh is repaired here it will give Contractor Tawney and his force a chance to show their skill. It is said to be the plan to lengthen the Raleigh and she will be cut in two. It will be most pleasing to the contractor to do the work.

PERSONAL.

Mayor Page was in Boston today on business.

Manager Charles P. Berry of the Portsmouth Shoe Co., is in Boston today.

Mrs. Thomas Blaisdell passed yesterday in Kittery, the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Butterfield, who have just returned from an extended tour through the South.

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 True joy we did not know;
 Now we have no regret, dear,
 As hand in hand we go.

The glad stars of the night, dear,
 Smile with a softer glow,
 And day with hope is bright, dear,
 As hand in hand we go.

When youth at last departs, dear,
 And cold the breezes blow,
 Love's clasp will warm our hearts,
 As hand in hand we go.

—Washington Post

THE VICTOR'S SPOILS
 Miss Terrence, going down the line, watched the girl who was coming toward her. There were three men with the girl, and only Lancaster was with Miss Terrence. However, as he was all the world to her, Helena-like, she looked not words of company. The six met on the walk in front of Captain Lancaster's quarters.

Lancaster was a cynic who observed his kind and told the result of his observations. Such are deservedly unpopular, but command appreciative audience that are the envy of the good hearted. It was to an audience of the sort that he recounted the meeting the same afternoon when the hand had stopped playing and the invading hosts from the town had scattered and left the post to its rightful owners.

"Dorothy Terrence," he began, laying his hand on her knee and settling back to the temporary repose which alone can fall to the lot of the officer of the day: "Dorothy Terrence came up the walk. She had Lancaster with her, and she was looking happy. Miss Leeds—the bankers daughter, you know—came down the walk. She bestowed a sweet and transitory smile upon Miss Terrence, but Lancaster is not the best-looking fellow in the Presidio for nothing. If any of you happen to share my good fortune of knowing her, you will understand what, in the nature of things, and of men, happened when she turned her eyes upon him with a trick she has of seeming to look into one's very soul.

She has the most beautiful voice outside of the heavenly choir, and she brought it into play also. Dorothy stood it as long as she could, and then she tried to get him away. He never even heard her. If Miss Leeds had not grazed soul searchingly at him and told him that she must be going, but would see him at the hop, he doubtless would be standing there still with Dorothy anxiously watching him. It will be worth going to the hop to see things happen.

Lancaster stood at the door of the dressing-room and watched Miss Leeds while he waited for Dorothy. He saw her throw back her gorgeous cloak and drop it from her with the careless disdain of a celestial creature discarding some temporary earthly garment. That it fell on a chair and crushed other less splendid wrappings beneath it was a detail which escaped him. He watched her as she stepped into the room, and she stood unchallenged, leisurely touching her glimmering brown hair and pinning a great white rose upon her shoulder.

Dorothy waited at his side for fully five minutes before he saw her. Then she laughed mockingly up into his face and wished that her laughter might have been a blow.

As soon as he could leave her he went running and sliding across the floor to where Miss Leeds stood at bay before a beseeching group. She was backed against the wall, and a sunburst of smiles was just above her head.

"There are only 20 dances," she kept repeating, "and I never dance."

Lancaster took two of his fellow officers by the shoulders and put them out of his way. Miss Leeds looked into his eyes and smiled at him. It seemed to him, no woman had ever smiled before. She put her hand into his hand.

"The two with the crosses are the ones I promised you," she said, and as she had promised and he had asked nothing his heart beat high with triumph.

Not that it was a case of love at first sight. He was in love with Dorothy. But the most faithful of men may pay the court she expects to a belle and may allow himself to be flattered by her marked favors.

He could honestly, then and for several weeks afterward, give Dorothy the comfort she sorely needed and say that he did not even think Miss Leeds beautiful. "She has style and charm," he passed judgment, "but not beauty. And she is a flirt." He meant that Miss Terrence should understand how entirely he adored that.

"Did she try to flirt when you called upon her?"

He had made a point of confessing the call directly it was made, and he thought it tactless of Dorothy to insist upon it. He shrugged his shoulders. "She does that with every man."

It was a truth which he fully appreciated, but his feeble light no longer fell upon the path of duty when the time came that the sun of Miss Leeds' countenance shed its glow upon the highway of inclination. And yet she had her best to make it clear to him.

"Now, listen to something I mean to tell you," she said to him. She set down her hand and leaned toward him, with her elbows upon her knees and her chin between her soft, pink palms. Her eyes were looking straight into his, and they filled his heart with anticipation. Do you think that this is a risky game we are playing, and that we have been playing it for all its worth that last fortnight or so?"

Lancaster knelt his brows.

"It is not worth while to pretend you don't understand. We both know exactly what I mean. But I want to be sure we both know that it is only a game. I am not in earnest, and you must not be."

He gazed at her speechless.

"I suppose you are thinking that the suggestion of serious intentions might come first from you," she said. "That may be your way of looking at it, but it is not mine. I don't care to let you have anything to reproach me with. I have had enough of that in the past. I am a hopeless flirt, you know. I go into the thing for the fun there is in it and it is only fun to warn you."

She leaned back in her chair and fell

to watching the passers-by upon the street and to biting at a cube of sugar meditatively.

"If you will accept matters that way we can have a very good time. If you don't, I have warned you, and the consequences, if there are any, must be on your own head."

Lancaster laughed rather weakly. "I accept the terms," he said. "It is understood that this is only a flirtation."

Which he explained to Dorothy at much length, but which she would not understand and was so unreasonable about as to break her engagement. Lancaster was deeply aggrieved and rather more deeply relieved. But it made one fact plain to him—that he was seriously in love with a girl who frankly told him he was no more to her than a score had been before, than scores might be thereafter. And it was all in vain that he tried to change her.

"I warned you quite fairly," she reminded him, bending forward to stroke the glossy neck of his black mare. It was the mare that, of old, Dorothy had considered almost her own property, upon which she had almost lavished the overflow of her affection for Lancaster. "I warned you," Miss Leeds repeated, "and nobody has suffered but myself unless—she glanced at him with a quizzical little smile—"unless there was another girl."

"There was another girl," he answered.

"She shrugged her shoulders tolerant."

"That was to have been expected. Most problems of the heart are in the line of three."

He frowned angrily, and his lips curved in contempt. "Are you absolutely heartless? Have you no pity for her?"

"Not a great deal. If you were the sort to desert her in a fortnight for a girl who made not the slightest effort to win you, I think, upon the whole, that she is rather well rid of you."

Lancaster was biting his lips, and he was very angry. "She is a better woman than you," he said.

"That may be. But still," she laughed, good naturedly, "do you think I am bad enough for you to be passing judgment upon me?"

"I do, for you are doing the thing cold-bloodedly, and I—I," he said despondently, "have lost my head."

She smiled into his eyes. "You don't want to do that. It is such a handsome head. Lose your heart—it is not worth nearly so much."

He turned in his saddle and faced her. "I am likely to lose more than that," he burst out suddenly. "I am likely to lose my life."

"Come, come," she said: "you are not contemplating falling on the point of your sabre or drowning yourself in the bay or superinducing galloping consumption, are you? I have had men do a great number of things for me, but never quite that."

"I am not contemplating doing any of those. I may be a good deal of a fool, but not enough for a woman who cares nothing for me."

"Yet that has been done," she suggested.

"What I meant was—and what I intended to tell you when I asked you to come to-day was—that I am going to the war."

"That was to have been expected, of course. Is your regiment ordered?"

"Not yet. I am especially favored. 'When do you leave?'"

"The day after to-morrow. And now I am going to ask you to promise me something."

"They had roined in their horses by the dynamite guns and sat looking out over the whitecapped blue sea."

"So that it is something that I can promise."

"Not that. I shall leave that until I come back—if I do come back. If I do not—in short, if I am killed"—She gave a little shudder. He saw that she had repeated, "If I am killed, I shall leave orders that my most treasured possession shall be sent to you."

"Do you mean this mare?"

"I mean the mare. It would make me as happy as it would seem I meant to be to know that if I die you will have her and will ride her and be kind to her, for you are fond of her too."

Miss Leeds knelt her brows and considered. "And if I should not?" she said.

"She shall not go to any one else. I will have Dartmoor shoot her on the day that he hears my death confirmed."

Miss Leeds switched at the skirt of her habit. "Is there no one else who is fond of her also?"

"No," he answered.

"But the other girl you told me of?"

There flashed back upon Lancaster's memory how Dorothy had been wont to stand with her arms around the arched black neck and her cheek against the warm soft nose; how the mare had followed no other but himself.

"The Miss Leeds turned the sun of her questioning eyes upon him. They were serious now, and their gentle light scattered the mists of memories. He only valued the horse for the master's sake, and the master is no longer anything to her. 'Will you do as I ask?'"

A little ironical smile, the smile of an easy going cynicism, curled her lips. "Into the victor belongs the spoils. Yes, if anything happens to you I will take the horse. But you must not be rash. I believe I prefer your safety to it."

Two months afterward Miss Leeds, bending forward to stroke the glossy neck of the black mare that had belonged to Lieutenant Lancaster, turned and glanced up into the face of the man who was riding beside her.

"Who was the girl that you bowed to near the gates, the one with the big sad eyes?"

"It was Dorothy Terrence," he told her. "Lancaster used once to be engaged to her."

"No wonder, then, that she looked at me reproachfully," she tried to laugh, and the laughter broke, and she grew white as she set the mare into a gallop. "There was you know," she said to him mockingly above the clatter of the hoofs—"there may lurk the fear of remorse among the victor's spoils."

RELIGIOUS CONGRESS
 REMARKABLE STRUCTURE, PLANNED FOR THE PARIS EXPOSITION.

It is intended to erect there a superb building in which interesting services will be held during the progress of the Fair—Outline of the Scheme.

The crowning scheme to make the Paris exposition of 1900 the most wonderful that the world has ever seen is now being urged upon the attention of religious people all over the world. The proposition is to hold in connection with the exposition a great congress of religions, and the plans for the building in which the congress is to be held provide for a structure that will be one of the wonders of the world. The scheme originated with M. Auguste Delaigle, a well-known litterateur, and Abbe Joseph Cressey, of the Church of St. Jean de Belleville, Paris. M. Delaigle visited most of the European cities of importance and made a thorough crusade on behalf of the scheme, and he also visited New York, accompanied by Sir Nugent Robinson, to see what he could do to awaken American enthusiasm in favor of the congress.

In describing the great building that is to be erected for the congress, M. Delaigle said:—

"It will be one of the most wonderful structures that the world has ever seen. Imagine a building covering a space as large as the Esplanade des Invalides, surmounted by a dome nearly three times the size of the largest dome ever made in connection with any building. This dome alone will be a sight second to none in the exposition. To give it beauty and architectural grace the great dome will be surrounded by numerous pillars, and the windows, of the richest-hued stained glass, will shed a lovely light on an interior that will be a marvel of ecclesiastical art."

"I have spoken of the dome first, because it will be the most wonderful feature of the building, but there are other beauties so numerous that it will take a day to view the structure, and then the sightseer will find fresh features to admire. From the ground the building will rise to a series of terraces, which will support hanging gardens."

"Under the cupolas that will surround the central dome there will be representations in panoramic views of the events in which Christians are most interested. The scenes on Calvary will be graphically depicted; the agony in the Garden of Gethsemane and other scenes in the life of Christ will be shown in a striking manner."

"Then the Coliseum, the immense altar on which was spilt the blood of the martyrs, scenes in the catacombs during the period when the Christians were hid there, the great scene when Constantine proclaimed the Christian religion, St. Genevieve stopping Attila, Charlemagne at St. Peter's tomb, Urban II. preaching the crusade, the taking of Jerusalem by Godfrey de Bouillon, Joan of Arc at Chinon and Rouen, the Council of the Vatican, the Jubilee of Leo XIII.—all these great events in the history of Christianity will be shown on the terraces of the building."

"Besides incidents, there will be depicted places. Some will show the pilgrims arriving at the Grotto of Bethlehem, Lourdes; Our Lady of Pillar and St. James of Compostello."

"Thousands will be able to wander around these great terraces and marvel at the sights to be seen there."

"As to the interior of the building, this will be still more interesting. In the museum will be seen specimens of the instruments of torture used by the pagan nations on the Christians of old, and carvings of the Roman and Grecian eras and statues of the saints and early martyrs of the Church. There will also be as many of the most noted sacred relics as can be brought to the building. An attempt will be made to reproduce the images and pictures found in the catacombs and any other lost relics that are sufficiently well described to be reproduced."

"The various religious organizations and cults will be represented in whatever way they may elect, special space being set apart in the great building for each. The Order of the Sacred Heart will have a space of its own, as will the Order of the Benedictine Monks, the Cult of the Virgin Mary, and so on. The work done by each of the great religious organizations will be shown by means of the great religious theatrical performances on a stage that will be one of the most interesting features of the building, inasmuch as it will contain especially designed theatrical contrivances for the production of the religious plays that have never been introduced upon any secular stage."

"The theatrical performances will be accompanied by mammoth services of song, in which thousands of singers and hundreds of instrumentalists will take part, accompanied on an organ that will be the finest ever heard and the largest that money can buy."

THE CONVICT'S STORY.
 Strange Connection of a White Cat With a Burglar's Life.

"It's no secret that I've been in the penitentiary," said the old man. "It was a white cat that took me there, and a white cat that saved me and made me a better man."

"One winter, a good many years ago, I was in Houston, sick and dead broke. An old pal of mine meeting me on the street took pity on me and soon helped me out of my troubles. But not for nothing. As soon as I recovered he wanted me to join him in some burglaries that he had planned. At first I refused indignantly, for I had some rough notions of honesty; but a little talking—he was a fine talker—and a few drinks did the work and I agreed to go in with him."

"Conscience makes cowards of us all, and I guess that was why Ed trembled like a leaf when he saw a white cat flash past us as we stood shivering in the garden of a house on Harris street that night. It was an easy matter to break in, and we soon had all there was worth taking. In a little room at the end of the hall a child was sleeping. The dim light of a lamp showed the pretty cot, the fair flushed face of a little girl, her golden hair streaming over the snowy pillow, and crouching by her side a white cat, whose pink eyes glittered like stars. We had to pass through this room, and I could not for the life of me help bending down and touching that beautiful hair with my lips—it looked so like the hair of my darling who died only the year before. It was her death that drove me to drink and trouble," and the old man wiped away a tear.

"Well, I don't know exactly how it happened, but the cat gave a terrific squall, and I had only just time to seize it and stuff it in my bag when a bullet came whistling by my head. I got out of the house somehow, still carrying my bag of plunder, and ran down the road, out of town, finally taking refuge in an old barn. I was badly wounded, and, to make a long story short, they arrested me and took me to jail. My partner was dead."

"They told me afterwards that in my delirium I cried continually for the white cat, and when they brought the animal into my cell—for they found it unburied in my bag—I nursed it and was quiet. It was a strange fancy of a sick man, but it led me back to health. The story was told at the house which we had robbed, and the little girl and her father came to see me. He was a good man, and she was an angel—God bless her for her innocent prattle and sweet eyes of pity."

"The penitentiary was a rough place in those days, and I believe I would have died in a few months if the child had not sent me a tiny white kitten, which I was allowed to keep, and it saved me from despair and death. Every time I looked at it I thought of the little angel that gave it, and of that other little angel—my dead child—and made a new resolve to be a better man."

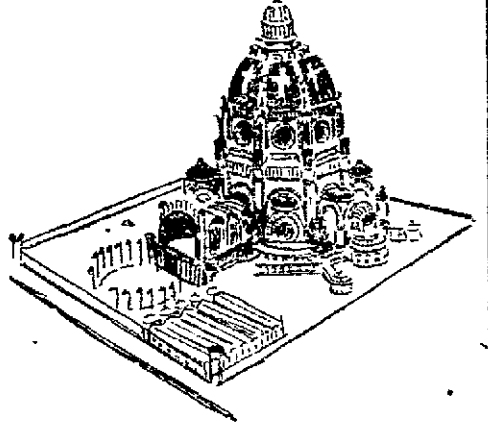
"Two frail atoms of life—a kitten and a child—but they were strong enough to raise me out of the very depths of hell."

AN UNFORTUNATE LINGUIST.
 John was an ambitious Chinaman. He had made money in Chinatown, San Francisco, but had devoted himself to business so thoroughly that he remained totally ignorant of English.

He came to New York determined to avoid his fellow-Chinamen, so that he might learn to speak English during his six months' stay in the metropolis.

He took a room in an East Side house, paid promptly, made himself agreeable to his landlord, who allowed him to wait on customers in his little grocery store, and he never went near Pell or Mott street. After several months' residence in New York and many hours of study, the Chinaman ventured forth among his people, where he proceeded to give an exhibition of his proficiency in the English language. What he said sounded strange to the other Chinamen, and the ambitious one nearly swooned when he discovered that he had learned German by mistake.

"His New York home was in the German part of the city where English is an unknown tongue, and the poor fellow had to begin his linguistic work over again."



MEETING PLACE OF RELIGIOUS CONGRESS.

AN OIL TANK SHIP.
 Largest Oil Tank Steamer in the World Has Just Been Launched and It Has Revolutionized the Transatlantic Trade—The Ingenious Reservoir.

The biggest oil tank steamer in the world will soon be launched at Chester, Pa. The Roach shipyards will build this steamer for the Standard Oil Company. It will cost about \$250,000. Its capacity will be 720,000 gallons of oil. In other words, on every trip it will carry oil enough to fill 5,000,000 lamps and keep them burning twelve hours. At the present export price of oil the cargo will be worth a little less than \$500,000.

The ship was designed by John Haug, the Standard Oil Company's engineer, whose headquarters are in Philadelphia. It will have some unique features. Heretofore oil tank ships have been built with all the storage room forward and the fuel, boilers and machinery aft. The new ship will have tanks both fore and aft, and the machinery, the quarters for the men, etc., will be amidships. An ingenious contrivance will protect the oil from possible contact with fire by leakage. There will be a well between the oil tanks and the engine room aft and another between the oil tanks forward and the boiler room. These wells will be filled with water. Each well will be capped with a small tank on deck. If there should be any leakage of gas or oil, the escape will be shown on the surface of the water in the well tank on the deck. It can be pumped out from this small tank without danger. In any event, the oil or gas escaping will not penetrate laterally, but will rise.

Another remarkable feature of the new ship will be a fuel oil tank four feet deep next to the bottom, extending from one end of the ship to the other. It is intended to operate the ship with fuel oil if possible, but if this proves impracticable there are the coal bunkers which will hold an ample supply of fuel. The experiment with fuel oil will be watched with great interest by men interested in transportation. It was used some time ago on a tank steamer, but unsuccessfully. The navy department has been testing it also and with some success.

A bulkhead running through the ship longitudinally will divide the tank space in half. In each side of this bulkhead there will be water tight partitions, three forward and three aft, which will make the number of tank divisions twelve. These will vary in depth with the shape of the vessel, the smallest being twenty-three feet 6 inches deep. The largest tank will hold 144,000 gallons of oil—almost as much as the largest oil tank barge now in service.

In the handling of oil there is great danger from volatilization. An experience which a workman at the Roach shipyard had with the steamer Standard when it was being transformed into a barge illustrated this. A tank had been allowed to stand empty for a number of days and then had been pumped full of water to drive out all the gases. A very little naphtha had stuck in the main when the tanks were emptied. It was pumped with the water into the tank, where it clung to the skin. When the first workman descended into the tank with a lamp the gas from the naphtha exploded, tearing off part of the deck and injuring the man seriously.

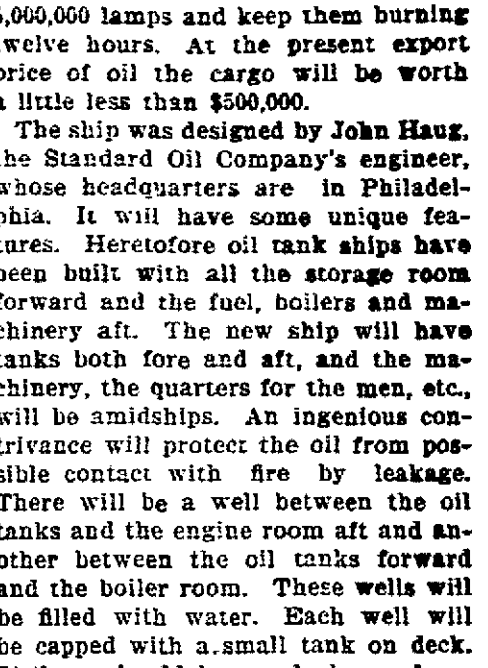
To provide against pitching and shifting of the oil expansion tanks will be built on deck. These tanks will be 34 feet 9 inches deep. They will connect with the tanks below through small openings, and as the oil in the big tanks expand the surplus will be forced upwards into the deck's tanks. Thus the lower tanks will be full at all times, and the pitching and tossing of the oil will be confined to the shallow tanks above.

Each of the deck tanks will be provided with a large vent hatch, through which the gases from the oil can escape. In calm weather these hatches will be raised.

The tanks on the oil ship will be filled through large mains laid on the deck and below it. There will be four openings in the chief main—one forward, one aft and two amidships. The ship being moored at the oil company's dock, the dock tank will be connected with the main by the flexible pipe, and engines on the dock will pump the oil into the main. Valves opening from the main into the tanks will be controlled from the deck, and the oil will be turned into one tank after another until the ship is loaded. There will be pumping engines on the ship to empty the tanks.

An oil tank steamer must be built with the greatest care. On other ships of iron the rivets which pierce the hull can be left to rust. In an oil ship every outer rivet must be calked, or the oil, which is very penetrating, will leak. The walls of the compartments, too, must be made tight, or a little crude oil, leaking into a tank of naphtha, might spoil it. All this care in the construction of the ship is what makes it so costly for its size.

A Severed Heart.
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BANK VAULT GONE.

Bold Burglars Blew One to Bits at Medway.

THEN FLED WITHOUT ANY PLUNDER

Strong Box Did Not Yield to First Attempt—Kicks of Explosion Frightened Robbers—Five Men Were Seen Coming From the Wrecked Office—There Is No Clue to Work Upon.

Medway, Mass., March 21.—The gang of bank burglars who have been operating extensively throughout New England during the past few months, entered the Medway Savings bank just before 2 o'clock this morning and blew open the vault. The robbers, who are believed to be five in number, escaped without obtaining any plunder.

From the fact that a second fuse, applied for the purpose of forcing open the strong box, had not been lighted, it is thought the robbers were frightened away by the noise of the explosion. The bank office was completely wrecked. The authorities have been able to find no clue whereby they could follow.

The Medway Savings bank is located on the street floor of a wooden building right in the center of the town. At about 1.55 o'clock this morning, persons living near by were awakened by the report and shock of a violent explosion. Windows were opened quickly, and it was seen that the corner of the block in which the bank was situated had been shattered, and it was at once surmised that burglars had been at work. Citizens gathered very quickly, but when they reached the bank those who had caused the explosion had disappeared. Herbert Norton, who lives a short distance from the bank, stated that from his window he saw five men leave the place, almost immediately after the explosion.

Those who first entered the office saw that great havoc had been caused in the attempt to blow open the safe. The outer doors of the vault had been blown off, all the furniture was shattered, the windows and doors of the office were blown out, a hole had been forced through one of the partitions into an adjoining store. Although so much damage had been done to the safe, the strong box had not been injured, but a fuse had been applied to an opening made by the burglars, but apparently no attempt had been made to ignite it, and it was plain that the robbers had secured no booty.

The bank officials and the town authorities, who reached the bank among the first of the citizens, as soon as they found that nothing had been taken, began a thorough search of the premises. They soon learned that the burglars had gained an entrance to the bank by forcing the side door of a jewelry store, which is in the same building as the bank, but which runs across the rear of it. After entering the jewelry store, they passed through a door on the inner side, and from there gained access to the bank, with little chance of being observed from the outside. In the jewelry store a clock was found lying on the floor. It was stopped at 10 minutes past 1. The clock in the bank office, evidently stopped by the explosion, marked 1.35. This is taken to indicate that the burglars were engaged in the bank for about 25 minutes.

Excepting the evidence of their work in the bank and the jewelry store, the authorities were unable to find any other trace of the robbers. As soon as possible this forenoon, messages were sent to all the near-by towns and to the police of Boston and other cities, announcing that the bank had been broken into, and requesting that all officials endeavor to locate the burglars.

Medway, the scene of the affair, is a small town on the New England division of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, about 25 miles from Boston. It has a population of about 2000. The Medway Savings bank is a prosperous institution, with deposits of about \$275,000. Milton M. Fisher is its president, and F. L. Fisher is treasurer. Medway is about 10 miles from Wrentham, where burglars operated successfully on a bank some months ago, and is about 12 miles from Taunton, where a bank was made more recently.

Information was received early in the forenoon that four or five men were seen shortly after 2 o'clock driving rapidly in the direction of Holliston. The burglars were undoubtedly professionals, and notwithstanding the fact that the entire town was aroused by several residents, who fired pistol shots and rang bells, no one had been found who got close enough to the robbers to obtain a good description.

The bank will lose no money by the wrecking of its office, as it took out a policy in a burglary insurance company last week, a step that was decided upon owing to the many attempts that have been made upon country banks.

SCHOOL BUILDING SCORCHED.

Cambridge, Mass., March 21.—The Harvard grammar school building, in Cambridgeport, was partially destroyed by fire at 4.30 o'clock this morning. The building was a three-story brick structure with a French roof of wood. The top floors and roof were totally destroyed, while the lower floors were greatly damaged by water. The loss is estimated at \$20,000. There was about \$7000 worth of furnishings and books, most of which were destroyed. As the city of Cambridge does not insure its property the loss is total. The fire, according to Janitor T. R. Sheridan, was incendiary.

MEXICO'S AMBASSADOR.

St. Louis, March 21.—Don Manuel Azpiz, Mexican ambassador to the United States, accompanied by his wife and two children, and Captain Alfredo Barrios, third secretary of the Mexican embassy at Washington, arrived in the city last night, direct from the city of Mexico en route to Washington. They have stopped over to be banqueted by the Latin American club tonight.

DERRICK COLLAPSED.

Boston, March 21.—John Harrington, a stone mason, 48 years old, was instantly killed this forenoon by the collapse of a derrick on a building on St. Germain street.

IN WESTMINSTER ABBEY.

Funeral Services Over Late Baron Herschell Are There Conducted.

London, March 21.—Funeral services over the remains of the late Baron Herschell, who died at Washington on March 1, took place today in Westminster Abbey.

A procession of carriages formed this morning at the residence of the deceased, Grosvenor Gardens, to which the body was conveyed yesterday. At the residence the casket was placed in an elaborate, glass-paneled hearse, and the procession proceeded to Westminster Abbey. There the body was met by the dean, clergy and the choir. The pallbearers were the United States ambassador, Mr. Joseph H. Choate; the government leader in the house of commons, the Rt. Hon. William Court Gully; the high commissioner of Canada, Baron Strathcona and Mount Royal; the Liberal leader in the house of lords, the Earl of Kimberley; the vice-chancellor of the university of London, Sir Henry Enfield Roscoe; the lord high chancellor, the Earl of Halsbury; and the chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, Baron James of Hureford.

Lord Churchill, the lord-in-waiting to the queen, represented her majesty, and there were also present representatives of the Prince of Wales and the Duke of York.

The chief mourner was the son of the deceased, Baron Richard Farrer Herschell, who followed the coffin with the members of the family.

As the procession proceeded up the nave, the burial office and the Nineteenth Psalm were sung.

Lord Churchill bore the queen's wreath, which was of bay, with an autograph card inscribed: "A mark of sincere regard from Victoria, R. I."

The large congregation present included the attorney general, Sir Richard Webster, Q. C. M. P.; the solicitor general, Sir R. B. Finlay, Q. C. M. P.; the bishop of London, Rt. Rev. Mandell Creighton, D. D.; the members of the United States embassy; the Duke of Westminster, the Duke of Abercorn, the Earl of Morley, Baron Loch of Drylaw, the Earl of Carrington, Baron Ashbourne, the Earl of Cranbrook, Baron Tweedmouth, the Marquis of Ripon, the Earl of Aberdeen, Mr. Herbert Gladstone, the secretary of state for the colonies, Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, Rt. Hon. Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, the leading judges, and Secretary Cartwright of the Anglo-American commission.

The palm-covered coffin was borne through the west cloister. The late Baron Herschell's official robes were placed at the head of the casket, and his ribband and orders were placed at the foot. The remains were accompanied by the clergy and choir of the nave to a space beneath the lantern, where they were deposited with impressive services. A trombone quartet played Beethoven's "Elegy."

At the conclusion of the services, Sir Frederick Bridge played the "Dead March from Saul."

The remains were afterwards removed to Waterloo railroad station, to be conveyed to Clifton, Dorsetshire, where they will be interred.

KAILUANIS FUNERAL.

Great Preparations Made For It According to Advice by Steamer.

Seattle, Wash., March 21.—Steamer Kihoniu Maru, from Japan by way of Honolulu, brings advice that great preparations were being made at Honolulu for the funeral of Princess Kailani, who was to be buried March 12. It was expected that the procession would be the largest ever seen in Honolulu, not excepting those of Queen Emma and King Kalakaua.

In line were to be fraternal, political and religious societies, the schools, the national guard of Hawaii, United States engineers and troops from the warships, and government and consular officials and relatives. Large numbers of people from all over the island were arriving. The pallbearers, as originally selected, are Colonel Samuel Parker, F. A. Schaefer, J. O. Carter, United States Consul William Haywood, T. Olive, Davies, Andrew Adams, S. K. Kane, Colonel W. McFarlane, P. M. Manley, A. B. Loch,enstein, Henry D. Cooper, J. W. Robertson, Colonel J. H. Boyd and J. H. Wodehouse.

TO EXPLORE ALASKA.

Washington, March 21.—Captain W. R. Abernethy, of the United States army, left Washington on his third military reconnaissance into Alaska. Captain F. F. Glenn, who also has been directed to make a military reconnaissance into Alaska, will follow him in a few days. The first duty enjoined upon these officers is to proceed to Mantana and purchase range ponies to be used as pack animals. No reindeer will accompany the expeditions. The two expeditions named will be the best equipped of any that have thus far penetrated the colossal domain of ice and snow. In addition to better ponies, will be the experience already gained in Alaska by the explorers themselves.

THIS SHOULD BE REMEDIED.

San Francisco, March 21.—The Call is informed that the frequent failure of letters from the United States to reach the Klondike is largely due to the fact that the contractors who bargained to carry the postal matter from Skaguay to Dawson refuse to handle any mail which does not bear the Canadian postage. It is alleged that mail matter from the United States is thrown aside when it leaves the steamer, and at the present time it is said that about 30 tons of mail matter bearing American stamps is piled up in heaps at Skaguay.

CHARGED WITH ASSAULT.

Webster, Mass., March 21.—Joseph Fennaro, who was arrested in Waverly, R. I., on Saturday, charged with making an assault with intent to kill on ex-Deputy Sheriff Joseph Lee, was assigned to the district court this morning. Fennaro pleaded not guilty and was bound over for the superior court, which meets on the first Monday in May. Bonds were fixed at \$2000.

CHILTORE SAILS AWAY.

San Francisco, March 21.—The Japanese cruiser Chitose sailed for Yokohama this afternoon to receive her armament. She is the first war vessel ever built at this port for a foreign government.

SEARCH OF RUINS

Reveals More Dead Bodies of Hotel Windsor Victims.

REMAINS OF A WOMAN IS FOUND.

This Was the Third Body Taken Out. It Was Badly Mangled—Many Bones and Pieces of Burned Flesh Also Brought to Light—Many Articles dug Up That May Aid to Identification.

New York, March 21.—The third body was taken out of the ruins of the Windsor hotel this morning. It was found on the Forty-sixth street side of the ruins. The body was that of a woman. Only that part of the head from the lower jaw down was still on the neck. The body was badly mangled. A molar on the right side of the face and another in the left side had been filled with gold.

A hundred men worked all night on the ruins. In many places the debris was too hot to let the workmen begin to remove it.

A number of pieces of bodies were found during the night, bones charred and broken and separated from one another, some with pieces of burned flesh on them. Early this morning the workmen digging on the Fifth avenue side, near the entrance where the first traces of bodies were found, came upon a piece of pelvis, weighing about two pounds.

Later a workman found what seemed to be the kneecap of a child with pieces of the joining bones. It was dug up on the Forty-seventh street side. A pile

of damaged clothing was found here. It

trying to separate the pieces the workmen found, inside the clothing what was believed to be mangled, burned and crushed flesh and bones. The whole mass was put in coffins and taken to the morgue.

Among the many articles found in the ruins during the night were a package of letters addressed to E. C. Williams, Hotel Brunswick, Boston, Mass.; a still handkerchief marked "B. M. D."; a photograph of a man and a woman, by S. Young; a tin of soap; a part of a trunk containing a history of Ireland; a silk badge of the Limerick Men's Association; a pocketbook with a card of J. H. Morris; a silver button box marked "J. M."; letters to J. K. Hill; a tray marked "F. G."; a trunk marked "W. H. 463 B."; a silver pin tray marked "N. H. L. W."; pieces of coin, chiefly quarters and dimes, about \$25 in all; a bunch of letters marked "G. R. Burke, Standard Oil company, 23 Broadway"; the back of a silver brush marked "Madge"; citizenship papers of "Martin Malloy"; an elaborate parasol handle, and a great quantity of clothing and other small articles.

The description of body No. 3 at the morgue is as follows: The body is that of a female, about 60 years old; small stature, arms and limbs missing; all hair burned off; second lower back tooth, right side, filled with gold; back tooth, lower left side, gold filled; third back tooth, left side, decayed; part of black silk dress, beaded trimmings, faced with white; pounce silk and with white lace border; white shirt waist, marked "S. C. (partially)"; band of silk dress marked "Don 221 Rue Du Par" stamped in gold on the belt.

The rest of the mark evidently indicating the name of the maker is a tree in Paris was burned off.

The work of getting into the ruins is progressing rapidly today. The men have got 12 feet below the surface in

some places. It is feared they cannot get down much further, as the subcellar is flooded with water to a level two feet above the regular cellar floor.

It was said that the trunk storage room of the hotel was under the Fifth avenue sidewalk, and that it was probably not reached by the fire. The workmen, however, have been unable to get reach it.

The remains of another body were found on the Fifth avenue side of the ruins during the forenoon. It was unrecognizable.

SHERMAN VERY LOW.

This Is the Import of a Message Received by Secretary Hay.

Washington, March 21.—Secretary of State Hay has received a cable message from the United States consul at Kingston, J. A., saying that ex-Secretary Sherman was very low when the Paris left Kingston. Nothing has been heard by the state department further than this dispatch.

New York, March 21.—A special from Calmanera, Cuba, to The Evening Telegram states that John Sherman is dead. The special states that the ex-Secretary Paris touched at that point today and reported the death of the ex-Secretary of state.

NO ELECTION.

Harrisburg, Pa., March 21.—The 54th ballot for United States senator, taken today, resulted: Quay 88, Jenks 75, Daltzell 17, Stewart 5, Hart 2, Rice 2, Ritter 1, Widener 2, Stone 4, Irvin 4, Tubbs 2, Smith 2, Grow 1. No election.

THE NEXT POPE.

London, March 21.—A dispatch to The Evening News, from Brussels, published this afternoon, revives the rumor that Cardinal Gibbons may be the next pope.

KILLED AND WOUNDED.

General Otis Reports the Latest Casualties Near Manila.

Washington, March 21.—General Otis' list of casualties up to day before yesterday is as follows: Casualties, March 1, near block house 4: Wounded, Tenth Pennsylvania, company E, Second Lieutenant John G. Thompson, thigh, moderate; Private John A. McVer, shoulder, moderate; Sergeant Alexander McGough, forearm, moderate.

March 18, near Taguig, killed, Twenty-second infantry, company E, Private John Schmidt, Charles W. Fredericks; company K, Henry W. Johnston. Wounded, company E, Captain Frank R. Jones, thigh, moderate; Privates Robert Rice, abdomen, severe; Charles E. Farmer, back, severe; Raleigh T. White, hip, severe; William Ellis, thigh, severe; Leander Mingle, thumb, severe; Carl Crumholtz, forearm, slight; Merritt Porter, toe, severe; Dr. Nelson Arvidson, thigh, severe; Frank Young, chest, company G, Charles E. Haley, foot, slight; Frank Itaefer, chin, slight; company K, Earl Edwards, foot, severe; company M, Corporal James Cumminford, thigh, moderate; Edward F. Wilson, finger, severe; company E, Privates George Snyder, clubbed by enemy, severe injury.

March 19, wounded, Second Oregon, company D, Privates James Page, D. B. Bowne, thigh, slight.

Near Taguig, First Washington, company K, Corporal Robert E. Buckline, thigh, severe; company D, Hugh Waters, lung, severe; Privates Henry Oness, arm and side, severe; Edward R. Bartlett, lung, severe.

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Returning leave Concord, 7.45, 5.05 a. m., 2.50 p. m.; Manchester, 8.30, 11.10 a. m., 4.30 p. m.; Raymond, 9.15, 11.45 a. m., 5.00 p. m.; Sapping, 9.35 a. m., 12.05, 5.15 p. m.; Rockingham Junction, 9.57 a. m., 12.17, 5.25 p. m.; Greenland Village, 10.01 a. m., 12.20, 5.30 p. m.

Trains connect at Rockingham Junction for Exeter, Portsmouth and Boston. Trains connect at Manchester and Dover for Plymouth, Woodville, Leeswater, St. John, Newbury, Vt., Montreal and the west.

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22, 1899.

Senator Mason, of Illinois, is no longer offering free advice to the administration. He must be trying to accumulate a surplus.
We must get the Raleigh here or bust. The milk and water fellows who always shout we can't do it should keep quiet. Let's try.

Thus far Mr. Cleveland has not been invited to either of the forthcoming Jefferson banquets in New York. The managers appear to have forgotten his address.

Senator W. E. Chandler says it will be Vice President T. R. Roosevelt with President McKinley at the head of the ticket in 1900. Senator Chandler cannot be beat as a prophet.

Senator Caffery, of Louisiana, is still trembling at the specter of "imperialism," and solemnly declares that the country is going straight to smash. Mr. Caffery mistakes the prosperity boom for the crack of doom.

Gen. Gomez is not a candidate for president of the Cuban "republic," but he coyly intimates that he is in the hands of his friends. The old warrior has clearly studied the arts of American politicians.

There is a well-defined impression in American official circles that the alleged Philippine "republic" is about to come down with something closely resembling a dull, sickening thud. The dismal little farce is almost played out.

With the American cruiser Raleigh and the Spanish flagship Carlos Quinto firing salutes in honor of each other off Gibraltar, it is evident that peace has dawned here white clothes and settled down for a long stay. She is clearly delighted to get back to her old quarters.

NAVAL NEWS AND NOTES.

In response to an inquiry made of the Navy Department by Rear Admiral Robeson, he has been informed that he is entitled to retire if he wished under the forty years' service clause, with three-fourths pay of the next higher grade, which in his case would give him that of a Major General in the army. Admiral Robeson, however, does not indicate whether he proposes or not applying to be transferred to the retired list.—Army and Navy Journal.

Rear Admiral Hieburn, chief constructor of the navy, has recommended that the Raleigh, now en route home from Manila, be sent to the Portsmouth, N. H. navy yard for overhauling and extensive repairs. A board of survey will be detailed on the ship, which is in need of at least \$100,000 worth of work.—Navy Journal.

It is proposed to extend the training system in the navy by the assignment of one or two additional vessels to that service and the bureau of navigation has under consideration a plan proposed by Captain Hawley for the enlistment of boys from the west. It is found that some difficulty is encountered in securing trained seamen and that vessels requiring such are not always able to receive their quota.

YORK

YORK, March 21. J. W. Bragdon and J. P. Putnam, the well known horsemen were in Portsmouth today.

Miss Edith Moulton returned today from a short visit in Manchester, N. H. Mr. Joseph Chase went to Portland this morning.

Burdock Blood Bitters gives a man a clear head, an active brain, a strong, vigorous body—makes him fit for the life of life.

NOT DEAD.
Hon. John Sherman Better And Resting Comfortably.

Incomprehensible How Stories of Death Originated.

The Statesman on the Steamer Paris at Santiago.

WILL BE TRANSFERRED TO THE U. S. S. CHICAGO ON FRIDAY.

SANTIAGO, March 21.—There is no truth in the statements published in the United States and cabled back here representing that the Hon. John Sherman is dead. It is incomprehensible how the reports originated. The American line steamer Paris arrived here this evening before dark and it was immediately reported that Mr. Sherman was not only alive, but better, and resting easily and is expected to recover. He will be transferred, if all goes favorably, to the United States cruiser Chicago on Friday.

Will Be Transferred to the Chicago on Friday.

WASHINGTON, March 21.—Secretary Long received today from Captain Cooper of the cruiser Chicago advices stating that that vessel met the Paris, on which Ex-Senator John Sherman is a passenger, off Kingston, Jamaica. The Chicago was despatched by the navy department to Kingston to bring Mr. Sherman to the United States immediately, as the Paris was not expected to return with her excursionists for some time. The Chicago did not, however, reach Kingston in time, but upon meeting the Paris made arrangements to take Ex-Senator Sherman off the latter vessel on Friday, the change to be made at Caimanera, a few miles east of Santiago.

Washington Completely Stirred.

WASHINGTON, March 21.—Seldom has official Washington been more completely stirred by conflicting emotions than it was today by the announcement, first of the death of Ex-Senator Sherman, and then by the contradiction of the report, which came a few hours later, the one giving a relief which was as marked as the furor produced by the other.

GENERAL MILES' FIRST DAY IN BOSTON.

Boston, March 21.—After a morning of sight seeing and an afternoon at the legislature, General Miles closed his first day in this city by attending a banquet given him by the Merchants' club, at the Algonquin club this evening, and there heard himself and his deeds eulogized and recounted by a number of prominent citizens and friends. The banquet was a most enthusiastic affair, over two hundred leading merchants of this city being present, and every reference to the achievements of the distinguished guest was received with great cheering and other marks of appreciation. The event of the evening was the reading of the Associated Press despatch denying that the former secretary of state, Hon. John Sherman, was dead, and the proposing by General Miles himself, as he arose to speak, of a toast and long life to the great statesman.

EXPLOSIONS CONTINUE.

PARIS, March 21.—The series of explosions in government ammunition depots was continued this evening, when an alarming explosion occurred in a laboratory of explosives attached to the war department where experiments were being made on a new kind of gun powder. Several of the officials were injured and considerable damage was done. Although it is not believed that the explosion resulted from foul play, great excitement followed.

ANOTHER FIRE HORROR.

OMAHA, NEB., March 21.—Fire broke out on the third floor of the Patterson block today and spread so rapidly that people were compelled to jump for their lives. One woman was killed, three fatally injured and twenty more or less seriously injured. The dead and injured were all members of the Ladies' of Maccabees, who were holding a meeting in the building.

THE KELLEY REWARD CASE.

DOVER, N. H., March 21.—The Kelley reward case was brought to a close

THE DAILY WORK.

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The workings right here in Portsmouth. Lifting burdens from helpless backs. Bringing sunshine to many a house. It's deeds that count. That bring the never-ceasing sounds of praise. The public are learning fast. Learning to distinguish between claims and proof. Home proof is the best proof. Doan's Kidney Pills are endorsed by Portsmouth citizens.

Read what a citizen says: "Mrs. Ira Randall, of 73 Pleasant street says: 'I was taken with acute lameness in the back and it became so tender over the kidneys that I could not bend forward. I was in making any quick movement. The pain, and the tired out feeling hanging over me all the time was most distressing. I was very bad when I went to Philbrick's pharmacy in Franklin Block for Doan's Kidney Pills, yet they very quickly benefited me and I discontinued using them before the box was completed. I am very favorably impressed with the old Quaker remedy, and as I am quite recovered from the attack I can certainly recommend it. I advise anyone having anything wrong with their kidneys to try Doan's Kidney Pills and I am confident anyone trying them will find them effective.'"

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this afternoon, after the arguments being made by the counsel. Judge Parsons took the case under consideration and is expected to report his finding before the supreme court closes its session.

SANDOVAL AND ALVARADO COMING SURE.

WASHINGTON, March 21.—The navy department has ordered the former Spanish gunboats Sandoval and Alvarado, which are now here, to Portsmouth, N. H. The start will be made as soon as the weather will permit a safe trip.

THE CUBAN ARMY.

HAVANA, March 21.—The Cuban army is composed of 13,219 men. This number includes corporals and sergeants, but excludes commissioned officers. The figures are the result of an official inquiry under the direction of department commanders.

PROMINENT DEMOCRAT DEAD.

WEST DERRY, N. H., March 21.—Captain J. C. Saunders, a well-known leader in the democratic party in this section of the state, died today, aged seventy-seven years.

FRANCE AND ENGLAND AGREE.

LONDON, March 21.—The convention between Great Britain and France, limiting the respective frontiers in the valley of the Nile, was signed tonight.

WAS ONLY ONE BID.

St. Albans, Vt., March 21.—Elihu L. Waterman, special master, sold the Central Vermont railroad and all its branches, leases of other roads, all equities of, and all property owned by the company, under foreclosure proceedings at 10 o'clock this forenoon. The entire property was purchased by Ezra H. Baker of Boston, chairman of the bondholders' committee, in behalf of a purchasing committee consisting of himself and Henry D. Day of Boston in the interests of the bondholders. The purchase was made for the purpose of carrying out the plans of reorganization decided upon Sept. 2, 1898. The purchase price was \$7,000,000, and there was only one bid.

THRASHING MACHINE TRUST.

Morion, O., March 21.—The only obstacle which now stands in the way of the consummation of the thrashing machine trust is the Huber Manufacturing company, and the indications are that an option will be secured by representatives of the trust tomorrow evening when a meeting is to be held by stockholders. President I. Huber is averse to selling, but there are enough stockholders who favor the trust to complete the deal.

ALL SHIPPING SUSPENDED.

Trieste, March 21.—The heaviest gale which has swept the Adriatic sea for years is now raging and has caused a suspension of all shipping.

His Life Was Saved.

Mr J. E. Lilly, a prominent citizen of Hannibal, Mo. lately had a wonderful deliverance from a frightful death. In telling of it he says: "I was taken with Typhoid fever, that ran into pneumonia. My lungs became hardened. I was so weak I couldn't even sit up in bed. Nothing helped me. I expected soon to die of consumption, when I heard of Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle gave great relief. I continued to use it, and now am well and strong. I can't say too much in its praise." This marvellous medicine is the surest and quickest cure in the world for all Throat and Lung Trouble. Regular size 50 cents and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Globe Grocery Co's drug stores every bottle guaranteed.

You know what that tired feeling is and you may know what will cure it by giving Hood's Sarsaparilla a fair trial.

DR. NANCY IS WEAK.

But Her Trial For Murder Has Begun at Bridgeport.

DAUGHTER WATCHES HER CLOSELY.

Fears Aged Prisoner Will Collapse—Gave Signs of It Once and Was Removed From Court Room For a Few Minutes. Work of Drawing a Jury Progresses Favorably.

Bridgeport, Conn., March 21.—Dr. Nancy A. Guilford, the midwife, was today placed on trial before Judge George W. Wheeler and a jury of the superior court, on a charge alleging second degree murder in the killing by a criminal operation of Miss Emma Gill of Southington. The court was opened shortly after 10 o'clock, and promptly on time Dr. Guilford, the prisoner, was ushered into court between High Sheriff Hawley and Dr. Banks, the jail physician. The woman was also accompanied by her daughter, Eudora Guilford, who took a seat in the court room near her mother. Mrs. Guilford was, apparently, very weak, and to the spectators it seemed to be evident that the woman had unquestionably been very ill. Her face was pale and haggard; she moved slowly and sank into her chair as if exhausted.

The spectators were not numerous, the previous postponements of the trial, on account of the illness of the prisoner, having given rise to the belief that the proceedings would be again postponed today.

The central figures in the court room aside from Dr. Guilford, were Judge Wheeler, the trial judge, State Attorney Samuel Fessenden of Stamford, and Attorney J. B. Klein of Bridgeport, counsel for the accused.

In addition to the regular panel of 15 talesmen, there was a special panel of 10.

The usual preliminaries of an important murder trial were not necessary in today's proceedings, in view of the fact that at the January term of the court this prisoner had been put to plea on the indictment. Accordingly matters took on a very business-like aspect at once, and the prosecutor was instructed by the court to proceed.



DR. NANCY GUILFORD. (Seated) is Eudora Guilford, daughter of the accused, watched her mother very closely and gave evidence of tears that the prisoner might collapse.

None of the important witnesses were present. Harry Oxley and the other Southington witnesses, it is said, having been subpoenaed for tomorrow.

It was about 10:30 when the work of selecting the jury began. Before 11 o'clock two jurors had been accepted from the seven examined. The first two men were excused by the court because they confessed to opinions on the case. The third man, however, had formed no opinion, and he was accepted as the first juror. He is Samuel P. Thompson of Darien, a farmer. The next man accepted was the seventh, Thomas H. Wheeler, a Bridgeport carpenter.

At 11:15, during the examination of the 12th juror, Mrs. Guilford gave signs of collapse. Dr. Banks had been watching the woman closely, and noticing that her face was becoming ashen gray, sprang to her side, felt the pulse, and motioning to Sheriff Hawley, half carried the prisoner to another room. Judge Wheeler immediately declared a recess of 10 minutes. At the end of that time Mrs. Guilford was brought back to the court room, and the proceedings continued. Shortly before 1 o'clock, when a recess was taken for lunch, four jurors had been accepted out of 24 examined. The state had at that time excused eight and challenged five, while the defense had challenged the same number. The third juror accepted was George Gregory of Darien, a lively stable keeper. He was the 15th examined. W. H. Fairbanks, a farmer of Darien, was the fourth juror chosen.

Mrs. Guilford was feeling much better when the recess was taken until 12 o'clock. Just before recess, Harry Oxley of Southington and his counsel, Judge Marcus Holcomb, came into court.

IN AMERICAN FASHION.

Tacoma, March 24.—According to advices from the Orient, the Emperor of Corea has caused a sensation by appearing in full uniform cut in American fashion. His attendants have also been attired in American style. The emperor, it is stated, has cut off his topknot or short queue, which from time immemorial has adorned the top of the Corean emperor's head. The riots which recently occurred between the reform and conservative elements of Corea have subsided. The reformists were victorious in a large measure. The new budget will make a liberal provision for schools.

CAUGHT IN DRIFT ICE.

Racine, Wis., March 21.—The Godrich passenger steamer Atlanta is on the beach two miles south of this city. The steamer was caught in the drift ice, which was driven in by the southeast gale. She is reported badly listed. The passengers are still aboard. A life-saving crew has gone to the rescue.

A Satisfactory Soap
Ordinarily, in washing clothes, the soap that takes the dirt out hurts the hands, and the soap that is easy on the hands doesn't take the dirt out. It was just these faults of other soaps that turned the hand of science to the creation of a perfect soap—to the production of
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JUNTA GETS NO NEWS.

London, March 21.—Agoncillo, the agent of Aguinaldo, and the members of the former staff of the Philippines at Washington, have gone to Paris in order to confer with the Filipino junta there. Neither body has received news from the Philippines during the past eight days. They say they fear the Americans have discovered and stopped their means of sending news from Manila.

COLD IN GREAT BRITAIN.

London, March 21.—Severe weather continues throughout Great Britain. In Leicestershire 26 degrees of frost have been reported. Great loss has occurred among the live-stock and London has experienced the heaviest snow-fall of this winter.

FIVE CHILDREN CREMATED.

Wurmspeig, Man., March 21.—During the absence of John Lian and wife, of Greenfield, from their farm, their residence caught fire and their five children were burned to death.

MAY INSPECT RECORDS.

New York, March 21.—Judge Blanchard in general sessions today granted the application of counsel for Roland E. Molnueux, accused of having poisoned Mrs. Kate J. Adams, for permission to inspect the minutes of the grand jury that indicted Molnueux.

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HAVANA'S FAMOUS PRISON

The "Cabanas" Where Many of Cuba's Sons and Daughters Met their Fate.

GREWSOME DUNGEONS.

Cells Whose Secrets Are More Dreadful Than Were Those of Ancient Venice.

Prisoner's Walk Where General Lee Conferred With Competitor Prisoners—The Famous "Fosse de los Laureles" Where Executions Took Place—Faced Wall With Boulders to Firing Squad.

The Morro and the Cabanas, as they rear their drear walls above the harbor and city of Havana, frowning down at the hundreds of American and Cuban flags, seem to cast a still lingering shadow over the dawn of Cuban independence. Although the red and yellow of Castle no longer floats over those battlements, the grim fortresses still represent the shackled menace of Spain's vanished power. Within those walls, deep down in the rock's recesses, many a budding aspiration and thought of liberty has been foully crushed out.

The story of Morro and Cabanas prisons can never be adequately told. It contains such depth of human misery, such refinement of mental torture, such barbarity of physical suffering enforced by inhuman jailers, that the full truth must ever hide its head from the gaze of civilization.

The entrance to the Cabanas is reached by a narrow passageway, winding round the face of the cliff from the rickety wharf at the water's edge. Zinc covered and paved, this road has been a way of sorrow for many a prisoner who has wearily tramped up the steep incline. Few have returned along that path. The majority have faced fate more or less bravely, with their backs to the firing squad and a cry of "Cuba Libre!"

Forty feet from the summit of the cliff a small grass covered plot is reached. In front are two guard and rugged laurel trees, their roots stretching through the sandy soil like the bones of some partly exhumed mammoth.

To this spot such of the prisoners who had been allowed the privilege of communicating with their friends were led, shackled and guarded, four soldiers to each man, and for a brief moment permitted to breathe the clear air and enjoy the bright sunshine.

For thirty precious minutes they had a glimpse of the world outside, before being thrust back into their dungeons in the inner walls of the Cabanas. It was here that General Lee conferred with the Competitor prisoners, and here where Julio Sanguily, after many months' confinement, proposed to break loose from his guards and escape down the cliff. Preferring the risk of immediate death by a Mauser bullet to continue long subject to the insufferable horrors of his prison.

Crossing this grassy plot, a narrow gateway to the left gives admittance to the outer works of the fort. To the right, the landside towers a huge wall cut out of the solid rock, forming a fosse, or ditch between the land approaches and the outer works. From the top of this massive outer defence the ground slopes inland, the only approach to the castle being a smooth, sloping sward, raked at all points by guns mounted on the walls. This ditch extends round the castle until it ends in the sea. On the Morro side it is crossed by a wooden drawbridge of ancient construction, and raised and lowered by an elaborate system of weights and pulleys.

The southern portion of this moat is the famous Fosse de los Laureles, martyr ground of Cuba's liberty. A long, gloomy walk, gravelled on one side, on the other the long rank grass. Right and left are the frowning walls of the fortress. At the northern end the walk twists round to the west. Midway are six trees of the class from which the place takes its name. Twisted and distorted, their trunks seem to have lost their natural shape by witnessing many scenes of human agony. They draw their nurture from the blood-drenched ground, and nature abhorrent at such a price for being, has shown her protest in crooked branch and dully tinted leaf.

Two paces from the trees is the execution ground. A mound of stones and a dotted wall, cut and scarred by many a bullet, are the only existing memorials on the spot where so many of Cuba's sons have died for freedom. Here, in the cool gray of the morning, were led out those whose crime had been a too great devotion to what they deemed their duty.

The prisoner was placed against the wall, his back to the firing party, who were but a few feet distant. The soldiers idling around passed taunting remarks. Using the language of the bull ring, they asked jealously what kind of a fight the victim would put up. Occasionally, if the condemned man were some noted character, their feelings carried them so far that they actually assailed him on his way to execution. The vilest taunts were poured on the head of the prisoner and his last hours were tortured by the taunting bitterness of his persecutors. But at last the farce was ended. The lieutenant in charge of the firing party threw away his cigar, the orders, "Load," "Present," "Fire," were given and the writhing corpse on the ground was all that remained of the follower of free Cuba.

SOME COLONIAL DISHES

We Have Annexed Many Queer Luxuries—How to Prepare Them.

America's territorial gain through the war with Spain has brought up the subject of Spanish cooking, and many soldiers and sailors returning from our newly acquired countries bring home tales of deliciously cooked dishes that have fired the hearts of the American housekeepers with ambition to emulate them at home.

Cooking, as a rule, in Porto Rico and in Havana is not apt to strike the American palate as especially good. The Spaniard runs largely to ragouts, and fries his fish in rich oil of cheap quality. The salads are delicious, and the guava jelly, served on a green leaf with a bit of fresh cheese as an accompaniment, is a morsel fit for an epicure. The coffee does not seem equal to the good old American brew made by a Southern "mammy."

Spanish cookery is found in its perfection in New Orleans, where it is refined by a mixture of French and American influences. In the Spanish quarter of that city come these favorite Spanish dishes, which are easily prepared and very good.

Spanish steak is prepared from two pounds of steak, the round preferred, two cloves, half a dozen red chilis, one tablespoonful flour, some garlic, thyme and drippings.

Seed the chilis and cover with boiling water; soak until tender, then scrape the pulp into the water. Cut the steak in small pieces, fry brown in hot butter, add flour and brown it, cover with the chili water, add the garlic and the thyme, simmer until the meat is tender and the gravy rich and brown.

Tamales are a favorite dish with Americans. The two quarts of yellow corn and a spoonful of water mixed with one-half teaspoon of lime. Let it boil until well cooked. Wash thoroughly and grind until it is very fine. Boil a piece of beef in salted water until it is very tender; let it cool and cut it in small pieces. Mix the ground corn with enough of the broth in which the beef was boiled, make it soft, and add two cups of butter or beef dripping; season with salt and knead thoroughly.

Take three dozen red chilis, remove the seed and roast in a moderate oven for a few seconds, then place in tepid water and grind until fine, together with a head of garlic, strain thoroughly. In a stewpan place some drippings, and when hot, drop in one ounce of butter and a spoonful of water, let it cook a while and then drop in the chili, let it come to a boil; add the cut meat, a cup of raisins, a cup of olives, a teaspoonful of sugar, a little salt and pepper, and let it boil again. Then remove from the fire.

Soak dry corn leaves in corn water, and when well soaked shake them and apply a thin layer of the corn dough on the half of each leaf; put a spoonful of the stew on the prepared leaves, cover with the prepared leaves and tie with a string also made from leaf. When the tamales are finished place them in a large pot with a little boiling water and boil them one hour. Any other meat may be used. A "metate," a grinder can be purchased from any Mexican dealer.

Chili con carne is a toothsome dish. It is made from beefsteak, a table-spoonful of drippings, two tablespoonfuls of rice, one quart boiling water, two large red peppers, onions, salt and flour. Cut the steak into small pieces and put in a frying pan with the hot drippings and rice and a cup of hot water; cover closely and cook until tender; remove seeds and part of veins from peppers; cover with a half pint boiling water and let them stand until cool. Then squeeze them in the hand until the water is thick and red. If not thick enough add a little flour. Season with salt and onion, if desired. Pour over the meat and serve very hot. Spanish fried rice is excellent. Wash the rice and brown it in hot butter. Add onions, tomatoes and garlic. Cover the whole with hot water. Season with salt and pepper. Let the rice cook thoroughly, but do not stir it.

Jimbalaya is a Spanish Creole dish and is made from one pound of rice, one pound of ham, cut up; two large tomatoes, a small piece of red pepper and a sprig of parsley.

Fry these in a heaping spoonful of butter; add one pint of boiling water; stir in the rice slowly, cover the pot and set it where it will cook slowly. Salt to taste and serve while hot. Jimbalaya may also be made with oysters, shrimps or chicken substituted for the sausage.

Orzillas are made from a quart of flour, a cup of milk, two tablespoonfuls of butter and salt. Make a thoroughly kneaded dough; take a piece and put between the hand until it makes a large round thin cake; bake on a grid-iron until brown.

Frijoles con queso are prepared by boiling one quart of red beans until soft; then drain and turn into a frying pan with drippings or butter; salt to taste. Add a little Cayenne pepper and one pound of good cheese grated. Stir until the cheese dissolves and thoroughly blends. Serve very hot.

To prepare stuffed green chilis remove stems and seeds from six chilis; boil two pounds of beef or mutton until tender and chop fine; add one large ripe tomato, two onions, two slices of bread chopped fine; then add some olives and raisins, vinegar and salt, sugar and pepper to taste. Fry all together in hot butter; remove from fire and stuff the chilis; then dip them in batter and fry in butter.

Photographing in the Dark.

Tests have been made by Dr. Russell, the London physicist and photographer, in exhibiting the ability of certain substances to photograph themselves in the dark. Experiments by him with sundry metals, woods, especially if charred, oils and substances containing them, have only confirmed their power to impress an image of their form and lines upon a photographic plate, if left in contact with it or at a little distance in front of it, in a dark room, for a longer or shorter time. Various salts of uranium, that have been kept under such conditions for two years, have proved as active in their effect at the end of that time as at the beginning. Experiments with various substances have shown that the higher the temperature the more rapid is the action upon the plate.

THE MINERALS OF CUBA.

Results Do Not Demonstrate That the Field Is Either Large or Varied.

THE HOLGUIN GOLD MINE.

Copper Occurs Frequently and There Are Quantities of Manganese and Iron.

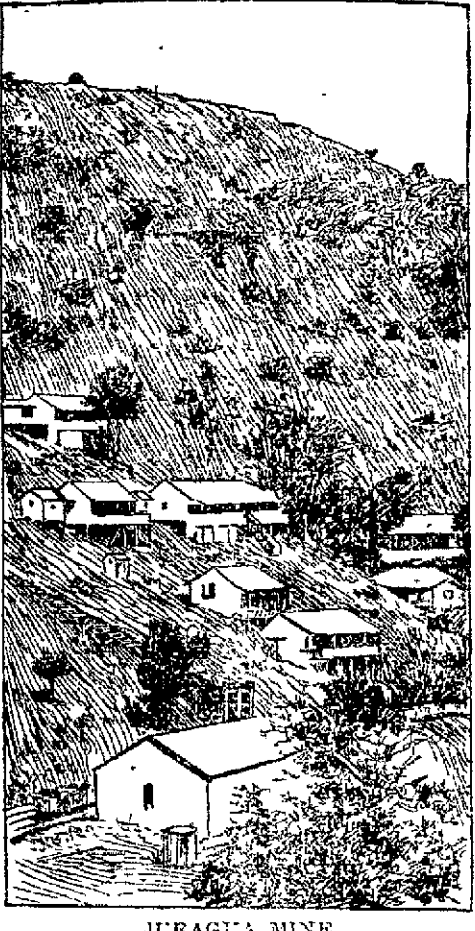
Mines That Had Laid Idle for More Than a Century—Total Lack of Systematic Exploration—Coal Range Rich in Hematite and Special Iron Ores—Many Claims Located in the Sierra Maestra.

If we listen to the voice of the charmer, or to those of Cuba for our information, we shall find that the mineral resources of this island include gold, silver, mercury, lead, antimony, copper, chromite, iron, manganese, pitch, bitumen, and even coal, but when we look for practical metallic results commensurate with these varied mineral resources we shall be disappointed.

The gold fiction is the most time-honored, for the original Spanish settlers expected to find gold mines in Cuba. According to their historians, "much gold was taken from this island at the beginning of the conquest," but it seems probable that most of this was taken from the chiefs, or caciques, of the Indians and very little from the ground. "El Viajero Universal," Madrid, 1797, says: "Some of this metal (gold) is still found at Holguin." Whenever the existence of gold in Cuba is discussed this "myth" of Holguin is invariably brought forward. It is true that some work has been done at this point and a little gold has been extracted, but there has never been any systematic exploration, and there is nothing there which may be dignified with the name of a mine.

In like manner most of these mineral resources fade away in the search light of investigation, until only copper, iron and manganese remain. Of most of the others listed above, it is fair and proper to say that they have been found but not worked. It may fairly be doubted if mercury and coal have ever been found, although "denunciations" of mercury exist.

Copper occurs frequently, in greater or less quantities, in the metamorphic rocks which form a large portion of the island of Cuba. The principal occurrence is as chalcopryite, in quartz veins in the metamorphic rock, at the village of Cobre, in the mountains about twelve miles west of the city of Santiago de Cuba. The mines at this point were discovered some three hundred years ago and were worked to a limited extent, but always as crown possessions or under royalties to the crown. They were abandoned and had been idle for more than a century when, in 1830, an English company reopened them and worked them systematically and actively, employing as many as 2,000 men. A railroad was built from the mines to Santiago Bay. The remains of this road still exist.



JURAGUA MINE.

The railroad was owned by a Spanish corporation, and the mines and railroad became involved in litigation. The railroad company won its suit, but killed the goose that lay the golden egg. For the excessive freight charged by the railroad, the reduced price of copper, the scarcity of labor, and the breaking out of the ten-years' war combined to close the mines once more.

The extensive plant of the English company—which included what was, in its time, the largest Cornish pump in the world—their crushing and concentrating machinery and buildings, are now nothing but a picturesque heap of ruins.

There is no available record of what these mines have produced, but the deepest shafts were 900 to 1,000 feet deep and the underground workings are said to have been very extensive.

There are a number of manganese mines in the province, mostly to the west of Santiago de Cuba, which have been worked in a desultory way by the lack of proper transportation facilities making it impossible to operate on any considerable scale, although the ore is very high grade. The Donpu Mining Company, an American corporation, has built a branch of the Sabana y Moroto railway into its mines and is shipping extensively.

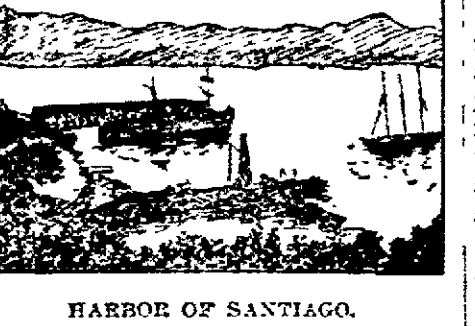
The coast range near Santiago de Cuba, generally known as the Sierra Maestra, is rich in hematite and special iron ores. Great quantities of ferric oxide have been dissolved out by the action of surface waters, from which they have been re-deposited in concentrated form. In many, probably in most cases the ore bodies are the result of the weathering of isolated bodies of coralline, and their replacement by ferric oxide from the percolating waters. For this reason they are without definite walls or regularity of arrangement. They are scattered along the range of hills for a distance of eighteen or twenty miles but there is no continuity of formation.

FIGHTING IN THE MAST.

How the Rapid Fire Guns in the Fighting Top are Operated.

Fighting in the military mast of the big battleships in our navy will probably be the most dangerous duty our seamen will be called upon to perform in the war with Spain, says the Kansas City Journal.

Exposed to the full fury of the enemy's fire, with scarcely any protection, and with the possibility of having the entire mast shot away, the man on duty in the mast is in a position perhaps the most dangerous in all modern naval warfare.



HARBOR OF SANTIAGO.

One of these roads passed through the ore body that is now the Maglaena mine, and was known as the "black road" because it was practically pulverized iron ore. These rich old grandees must have known, but apparently did not realize what was at their feet, and it was actually not until the year 1861 that the first claim was "denounced." Since then more than two hundred claims have been located in the Sierra Maestra, both to the east and west of Santiago de Cuba. —Engineering Magazine.

THE GIRLS OF PORTO RICO.

Four of Them in a Smoking Tournament With Americans.

Americans who come down here are both amused and surprised at the vast amount of smoking indulged in by the native women, writes a Porto Rican correspondent of the New York Sun. Those of high standing socially are not addicted to the habit, but among the women of the fair ones do not confine themselves strictly to cigarettes, either. Big black cigars in the mouths of really very pretty young girls are a common sight in the country districts. Cigarettes are really more of a luxury, because the paper in which they are rolled has to be bought, but the all-tobacco cigars can be raised and rolled by any one taking the trouble.

Not long ago the writer, then recently arrived, rode into the country one fine day and stopped at a native shack on the military road. Four smiling women greeted him at the door. One of them was perhaps thirty years of age and had a baby in her arms. The other three were no more than fifteen, although they had the development of American girls much older. They were all dark of skin, but with that shining straight black hair which is so often seen in the mulatto in whom is combined the Spanish with the negro blood.

Having given him water, the Porto Ricans invited the stranger into their home, and then began the customary linguistic wrestling bout, in which the simplest ideas were exchanged only after the most violent mental, facial and digital effort. During the conversation—so called by courtesy—the woman with the baby became so excited that she lit a cigar which lay on the table and began puffing at it furiously to calm her nerves. The visitor was also smoking, and although somewhat surprised at his hostess' action, he felt it to be his duty to offer cigars to the other members of the party. The three young girls accepted the offer with pretty little waves of the hand and just as though it was the most natural thing in the world. They reached for a box of matches, which by the way, are the most plentiful things on the island, there being three match factories in successful operation—and lit up with a most nonchalant air. They smoke with much gusto inhaling the smoke like the ordinary American cigarette smoker. And how they did spit! It may not be a thing to boast of, but the Porto Rican woman can spit with all the power and precision of the most inveterate male tobacco chewer that ever lived. It is really amazing. Said to relate, the visitor felt it to be his duty to offer cigars to the other members of the party.

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So with the Caguanas quiet. They were, of course, unconscious that their conduct might provoke criticism. They had been doing this almost since they were babies, and there was nothing indecorous to them about it. When their visitor left them they gathered in the doorway to see him off, and the last he saw of them they were still smoking and spitting and smiling.

Certainly tobacco does not seem to hurt these people. They are as healthy and as buxom a lot of girls as a man would care to meet. Their spirits are high, though their lot in this country would be considered far from a happy one.

Snakes the Cats of the Philippines.

The snakes are the professional rat catchers in the Philippine archipelago, and every well-regulated household must have its snakes. "Nearly all the older bungalows in Manila," a correspondent writes, "possess what are called house snakes—huge reptiles, twelve or fourteen feet long and as thick as a fire-engine hose, that permanently reside in the roof and live on rats. These big creatures are harmless, and surely, if ever, leave their abodes. Judging from the noise over my cloth ceiling, a pair of these pests find pasturage up above, and I can hear them whacking around about once a week in their chase after rats. They are good though noisy rat catchers; but since they must needs eat all they catch, their efficiency seems to be limited to their length of stomach. The only way to get rid of the rats seems to be to buy more snakes, and this is simple enough, for you often see the natives hawking them around in towns, the beans curled up around bamboo poles, to which their heads are tied.

POINTS AND MOOT-POINTS.

There are other lives—no need to cling so to this one.

As we lack wisdom it is well, on the whole, we lack power. The world foolishly idolizes but one ability—the ability to live. Man knows God better than he knows himself or his fellow-man. Most of us are as good as our business will permit and vice versa. Love is forever entreated, demanded, commanded, refused.

Our strength is more tragic than our weakness because of our unwisdom. God-endowed, God-indulged for time and for eternity is man—yet dissatisfied.

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A poor man who marries a rich girl is a fortune-hunter. A poor girl who marries a rich man simply follows the sweet dictates of her maiden heart.

Don't keep on consoling yourself after each rejection with the old maxim that "there are as good fish in the sea as ever were caught." The bait might be getting stale.

Don't think because a man writes verses, to you that he is hopelessly in love. Verses are cheaper than flowers, and are far easier to evolve than the price of theatre seats.

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Pineapples and coconuts abundant.

Little children and old women smoke cigars.

Sugar manufacture the principal industry.

No milk wagons. Cows are driven from door to door.

Only one protestant church on the island.

Urban transportation for passengers by barouche only.

Banks and other business houses open on Sunday.

Metric system used in weights and measures.

Poorer classes have no chimneys in houses.

Only one quarter of the population can read and write.

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Guests wishing to get up without being called can have self-rising flour for supper.

The hotel is surrounded by a beautiful cemetery. Hearses to hire, 25 cents a day.

Guests wishing to do a little driving will find a hammer and nails in the closet.

If the room gets too warm open the windows and see the fire escape.

If you are fond of athletics and like good jumping, lift the mattress and see the bed spring.

If your lamp goes out take a feather out of the pillow; that's light enough for any room.

Any one troubled with night mare will find a halter on the bed-post.

Don't worry about paying your bill, the house is supported by a foundation.

MODERN PROVERBS.

A man's best capital is his industry—if he can sell it.

A society woman is one who has learned to smile like a politician.

Friends are those people who act surprised when we tell them how old we are.

A girl never gets over the shock of encountering a man who proposes but once.

Every woman thinks she can make better coffee than any other woman she knows.

When a widow remembers how much sugar a bachelor takes in his tea he had better look out.

Some women put money in the bank just to have that important feeling when she draws it out.

Being admired by the wrong man always makes a woman mad at him for not being the other one.

A woman selects a husband by herself, but she takes three other women with her to help her pick out a hat—Exchange.

Importance of Trifles.

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22, 1899.

GETTING READY FOR THEIR SEVENTH ANNUAL BALL.

At the regular meeting of General Gilman Marston Command, held on Tuesday evening, the following named comrades were appointed a general committee on their seventh annual May party and ball, to be given in Philbrick hall on Monday evening, May 1st: John P. Tibbets, William H. Lear, John C. Stevens, Charles W. Lolley, Carl Cart, Joe R. Curtis, George L. F. Harriman, Robert J. Churchill, Charles H. McChomre, William H. Hampshire, Thomas L. Jose, Leslie Norman, Jasper B. Grant, Martin Garrity, Timothy B. Oliver, Frank L. Keyes, Robert Braxton, George R. Raitt, Patrick Gallagher, Charles E. Berry, Samuel Hilliard, George E. Sides, Stephen A. Preble, Samuel H. Pillsbury, Asa Wilson, Michael Sheridan, William H. Kenison, James C. Donnelly, James F. Ramsey, Charles A. C. Gray, Jacob A. Moulton, and honorary member, Col. James B. Stanwood.

The Woman's Fidelity orchestra of Boston, now completing a five months' tour of the United States and Canada, will furnish music for the occasion.

ABOUT SHADE TREES.

A prominent citizen on Tuesday, called the *Herald's* attention to a short article in the Boston Transcript in regard to shade trees in Boston. He said the piece could apply to Portsmouth in much the same manner. The article condemns the manner in which the beautiful shade trees about the city are neglected and says the subject requires immediate attention. Trees should be set out where there are none—with the consent and cooperation of the adjoining land-owner—the replacing of dead and dying trees, and their protection when set out. Measures should be taken to have grocery and provision men's horses muzzled, or to protect the trees by enclosure of some sort. The children should be taught to respect and care for trees when set out, and they will thus become guardians of tree growth instead of enemies.

CHANGE TAKES PLACE.

"My nerves were weak and I could not sleep. I was also troubled with neuralgia. I felt tired all the time, and food caused distress. After I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla I could eat and sleep, my nerves were stronger and my health better." Mrs. CHARLES E. COLE, Cornish, Me.

Hood's Pills cure nausea, sick headache, biliousness, indigestion, constipation.

THERE ARE OTHERS.

It seems that the pumping station in Portsmouth is not the only pumping station on the map which is figuring in politics. In Somersworth on Tuesday the republican ring there offered a democratic Common Councilman \$700 and a good job at the pumping station for his vote. The man refused.

PLANNING FOR THE COMING SEASON.

It will give the public an idea of the prospects of a rush at the Wentworth the coming season when it is known that Manager Hill has already let twenty rooms in the new addition. The other sections are nearly all taken.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Today, and every day next week, our advertised agents, the Globe Grocery Co., will sell you a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, "The Best Salve in the World," and guarantee it to cure Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles or money refunded.

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VETERAN FIREMEN.

The Veteran firemen held their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday evening and after transacting the routine business voted to have the old hand tub Piscataqua repaired and put in first-class condition. After the meeting the members enjoyed one of Chef Bennett's famous chowders.

A FEAST FOR THE EYES.

The *Gazette* proposes to give its readers a feast for the eye and mind in its Easter issue in the way of appropriate illustrations, one full page in colors to the queen's taste, and three other pages that are unique and entertaining, as well as amusing.

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LOSS TO THE CITY.

Marshal Entwistle Speaks of Judge Chase's Decision.

If the decree of the full bench of the supreme court of this State sustaining the decision of Judge Chase that police court justices have no power to impose a fine exceeding \$10 and costs is strictly adhered to in this city, it will mean a loss to the revenues of the city from the police department of something over \$500 a year. There are but few liquor cases brought before the court here where the fine is \$30 and costs. Instead the greater part of the liquor cases are for selling beer, which take a fine of \$10 and costs. City Marshal Entwistle says that the loss to the city from the strong liquor cases will be about \$236 a year and the rest will be from such cases as assaults, keeping open Sunday or after hours and such like cases where often the fine was \$15 or \$20.

A RED HOT FIGHT.

We Must Get the Raleigh.

Admiral Highborn will be given a strong backing in his effort to get the Raleigh sent here. The *Herald* has received assurances that three senators with Speaker Reed will endorse his recommendation. The claim made by Norfolk is that the vessel was built there which appears silly as it might be claimed that all the ships built at private yards should be sent to the same yards for repairs. It seems strange indeed that such a struggle is made to keep a vessel like the Raleigh away from here when all the other yards have been overrun during the war. It would please our citizens to see Secretary Long decide in favor of Admiral Highborn. He has promised to give Portsmouth a fair show and the *Herald* believes he will.

SEASON BACKWARD.

Market Gardeners Feel the Effects of the Late Heavy Storms.

The season here is unusually backward. It is more than a week behind last year, some say two weeks, the last year was a week behind the average. In severity of storms and in sickness and death this has been a terrible winter. The market gardeners say they will be many days behind time this year with their early garden produce. Last year they suffered from storms and early cold weather, and this year they can not make a start.

UNITED STATES COURT.

At the afternoon session of the grand jury brought in two indictments. One of these was against Arthur LaHart, for the embezzlement of a letter from the United States mails on the 8th day of October last. The prisoner was brought into court and pleaded guilty to the charge. Page and Bartlett appeared for him and asked clemency of the court in consideration of the fact that he has already spent quite a time in jail awaiting his trial. He was sentenced to two months in the Hillsboro county jail.

The other indictment was not announced and District Attorney Hamblet of Nashua asked for further time to look up evidence. His request was granted.

The jury was then dismissed to meet again May 9th at eleven o'clock a. m.

A. B. Jarvis of Nashua, who was indicted at a previous term of court held at Concord for selling liquor without a United States license, pleaded guilty and was fined \$20 and costs, amounting to some \$30.

John Canney of Nashua, who was indicted at the same term of court on a similar charge, also pleaded guilty, but stated that he had gone out of business for good and the complaint was placed on file.

The court here took a recess until May 9th, unless some emergency should arise which would necessitate calling them together previous to that time.

Engene Nute of Farmington, recently appointed United States marshal, was present during the day's session. He will take the oath of office and appoint his deputies on April 1st.

TALK OF SHORT CIRCUIT.

There is some talk of the Rigby, Old Orchard and the Dover tracks forming a short circuit and carrying out a programme of light harness meets during the summer months. It is claimed that many horses will be entered for these meetings and under proper management the scheme can be made to pay. The matter will probably be definitely decided within a few weeks.

AFTERNOON WHIST CLUB.

The Afternoon Whist club met at the home of Mrs. John W. Kelley, Middle street, on Tuesday afternoon. Miss Blanche Boynton being the hostess and providing a most gracious entertainment. The prize, a picture, was won by Miss Grace A. Henderson.

To Cure Constipation Forever. Take "Cathartic Candy" Catbait. 10c or 25c. U. S. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

CITY BRIEFS.

To a solid, phlegmatic mynbeer Pink serpents were wont to appear. But the fact he denied. And the efforts derided. Of his friends to ascribe it to beer. —Detroit Journal.

No police court today. The sleighing is saved. The sleighs are still with us. Sunday will be palm Sunday. Tulips are in the flower market. Another snow storm is predicted. The overseers of the poor meet this evening.

Florists have begun to receive orders for Easter lilies. Potatoes were up to ninety cents per bushel yesterday. Canvases for the city offices will be held this evening.

Candidates for office are putting in their finishing touches today. A circle about the moon last evening foretold a coming snow storm.

Union Rebekah lodge met last evening and initiated several candidates. The W. C. T. U. will meet Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Y. M. C. A. rooms.

Officer Quinn arrested an intoxicated stranger on Congress street Tuesday afternoon. Gentle Spring did its best to assert itself yesterday but old Winter had gone out in a rage.

The small boy is making the most of the opportunities for "stidin" offered by the last snowfall. Portsmouth is experiencing a business boom, and after July 1st it will be the liveliest for years.

The "S. G." Londres is made of the choicest stock and is the best ten cent cigar in the market. The Rev. Edward Goodrich, D. D., rector, of Exeter, will preach at Christ church tonight at 7.30.

That city book which was promised "in a few hours," two weeks ago, has not made its appearance.

William T. Entwistle officiated as Deputy United States Marshal at the session of U. S. court here.

The Portsmouth bowlers go to Exeter this evening and roll a match game with the so called Exeter Deweys.

The members of Lucullus Company, No. 6, U. R. K. P. are to soon hold a social assembly at Conservatory hall.

Have your shoes repaired by John W. Mott, 34 Congress street. Satisfaction guaranteed. Hand sewed work a specialty.

Holy week, beginning March 26th, will be specially observed at the Catholic church with the usual appropriate services.

Three cars containing veterans from the Soldiers Home at Togus, Me., were attached to train no 64 on Tuesday afternoon.

A party of well-known electrical experts were in town on Tuesday, and visited the Wentworth with Manager Hill.

A strong petition from business men asking that John D. Randall be returned as chief engineer will be presented on Thursday evening.

A gang of workmen left Tuesday for the Isles of Shoals, where they will build a large weir for E. Newton & Co., at Londoner's island.

Portsmouth people, with the country in general, will rejoice to hear that Hon John Sherman is much improved and now expected to recover.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal church will have a turkey supper, sale and entertainment at Philbrick hall, Wednesday, March 22.

W. J. Sampson Hook and Ladder company have recently had an enlarged picture of the company done by Newell and will present it to the Amesbury "Hooks."

The storm seems to increase as the day wears on and if it keeps up through out the night will give the unemployed another opportunity to shovel the "beautiful!"

The Afternoon Whist club, which for imperative reasons postponed its reception and dance a few weeks ago, now contemplates carrying out this event sometime the coming month.

Mr. Charles E. Clough and other officers of the Middle street Baptist church, accompanied by the pastor, Rev. George W. Gile, went to Exeter on Tuesday in the interest of the parish petition for permission of the court to sell the personage and land on Vaughan street. Judge Chase heard the case.

The Good Templars had a very enjoyable time on Monday evening, the occasion being a session of the district lodge, with Charles T. Wiggins, G. C. T. of Portsmouth in attendance, from that city. Five local candidates were initiated as members of the Grand lodge. An oyster supper was served and a series of short papers, poems, speeches or recitations for "the good of the order" were given. Exeter Gazette.

PERSONALS.

W. Le Roy Fogg is in Boston for a few days.

Hon. Frank Jones is in Worcester on business.

Mr. Frank Fox of Rochester was here on Tuesday.

W. E. Paul went to Boston on Tuesday evening.

Mr. Fred A. Bradbury of Dover was in town Tuesday.

Senator W. E. Chandler is now in New York on business.

Dr. George E. Smith of Dover was a visitor here on Tuesday.

S. Peter Emery was in Exeter on legal business on Tuesday.

A young child of ex-Ald. Herman A. Brackett is sick with diphtheria.

E. M. Carroll of Warner was here on Tuesday, attending district court.

Miss Bertha Oxford is the guest of Mrs. Newton Johnston in Sacoek.

Editor True L. Norris of the Times passed Tuesday in Boston on business.

Hon. Joseph O. Hobbs of North Hampton was a visitor here on Tuesday.

Ex-Supt. J. C. Simpson of the public schools, was in Manchester on Tuesday.

Judge Brown of the U. S. Court was the guest of T. P. Salter during his stay here.

Lawyer S. P. Emery was admitted to practice in the United States courts on Tuesday.

Mr. H. S. Butterfield of Dover was here on Tuesday to attend the auction sale of horses.

Dr. F. B. Foster and Mrs. J. C. Foster of Boston are registered at the Rockingham house.

Mr. William Meade, traveling agent for the Frank Jones Brewing Co., was here on Tuesday.

Assistant Marshal Frank H. West and wife and Miss Lilla L. Joy are passing today in Boston.

Mr. Fred W. Bradford of the Norfolk navy yard is passing a few days at his home in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Page have returned from a visit to their farm in Gilmantown, N. H.

Mr. Peter Donahue of Lowell, Mass., agent for the Frank Jones Brewing Co., was here on Tuesday.

Mr. Charles Allen of Rochester, proprietor of Hotel Brunswick in that city, was here on Tuesday.

The many friends of Maj. David Urch will be glad to learn that he was greatly improved on Tuesday.

Bank Messenger John H. Lowd is critically ill and was in an alarming condition on Tuesday.

Mr. H. S. Warburton of Pawtucket, R. I., a former resident of this city, is passing a few days here.

The regular meeting of Damon Lodge, No. 9, Knights of Pythias was held on Tuesday evening.

Edmund F. Furbish, Jr., has moved his family from Dennett street to York, where he will run a farm.

Rev. E. M. O'Callaghan, P. R., of the Church of the Immaculate Conception, visited Dover on Tuesday.

Miss Florence Curtis of Northwest street is the guest of Hon. and Mrs. James E. Dodge of Manchester.

United States Marshal Clark Campbell of Concord was in town on Tuesday attending United States court.

E. B. Folsom, Esq., of Dover, was in town on Tuesday and was admitted to practice before the United States court.

John S. Tilton, Jr., who has been quite ill for the past two weeks, is slowly recovering and is now able to be about the house.

Mr. C. C. Bedlow of Boston, assistant superintendent of the Western Union Telegraph Co., was here on business on Tuesday.

Miss Grace Hoyt of Northwest street has returned from Boston, where she has been passing the winter with her sister, Mrs. Heaton.

Mr. Andrew P. Preston, the well-known druggist, leaves today for a pleasure trip to the Isle of Jamaica. He will take the boat at Boston and expects to be gone several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Arion A. Ballou of Donnell street entertained their friends last evening, the occasion being Mr. Ballou's birthday anniversary. The evening was most enjoyably passed.

Thomas G. Sample, supreme chancellor of the Knights of Pythias of the world, will attend the district meeting of the Maine lodges at the city hall, Portland, today, Wednesday. Grand Chancellor C. E. Hoyt of this city has been invited and will be a guest of the occasion.

Mrs. Mary A. O'Donnell, while hanging out clothes at her home on Liberty street on Tuesday afternoon, was struck on the head by one of the arms of the reel and knocked senseless. She received a bad gash over the left eye and another back of the ear. Dr. W. H. Lyons was called and dressed the wounds.

CLUB NOTES.

Warner Club.

The whist games on Tuesday evening were as follows: Kennard and Green 20, Furber and Locke 19; Furber and Locke 20, Kennard and Green 17.

WENT TO FARMINGTON.

Chauncey B. Hoyt, grand chancellor of the New Hampshire Knights of Pythias went to Farmington on Tuesday evening to attend a district session of the lodges of that section. Messrs. Hayes Cotton and Louis Gilson accompanied him on the trip.

MOVED THEIR HEADQUARTERS.

Langdon Colony of Pilgrim Fathers voted on Monday evening to move from U. V. U. hall to the hall in the old custom house at the corner of Penhalow and Daniel streets, and the transfer was made that evening. Because of the occupancy of the new quarters by the United Workmen on the first and third Monday evenings the Pilgrim Fathers will hereafter meet on the second and fourth Monday nights. The next meeting of the latter fraternity will occur the second Monday in April.

IS NOT A CANDIDATE.

Harry Givins, wishes to state through the columns of the *Herald*, that he is not a candidate for the position of bath house keeper and would like, if any change is made, to see John Hayes, who is an old veteran, get the plum.

RIVER AND HARBOR.

Schooner William H. Davenport, which has been discharging at the Eastern wharf, was towed to Newton's wharf Tuesday afternoon by the tug Piscataqua to unload 1000 bags of phosphate for Gray and Prime.

The importance of taking a good Spring Medicine is well known—in fact, its necessity is universally admitted. To argue this point is useless—takes up your time and wastes our space. The real question is, what to take? Of course, you want the best. For your blood, you want a medicine which cures blood diseases. For your appetite, stomach-weakness, and dyspepsia symptoms you want a medicine containing appetite-giving, stomach-softening, dyspepsia-curing qualities. For that tired feeling, dull headache, miserable, all run down condition, you want a true tonic to bone sinew, nerve and muscle—not a stimulant. Now we can prove, we have proved, we DO prove each and every day in the year, that Hood's Sarsaparilla IS the best; that it is unequalled as a general Spring Medicine; that it meets every requirement named and more. We prove this by thousands of testimonials—not from people anxious to advertise themselves, but from people in the same walk of life as you. And our testimonials tell of cures, real, bona fide CURES. We believe when you have given it a fair trial you will agree that America's Greatest Medicine and best Spring Medicine is Hood's Sarsaparilla. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

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